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MONEY WANTED IN WHEAT TRADE

Rumor That Banks Will Come Forward with Funds in Aid

APPEALS TO GOVERNMENT

Moving of Grain From Fort William to Seaboard is Worst Problem

Winnipeg, Nov. 12.—The despatch from Ottawa announcing that Hon. Mr. Fielding, minister of finance, had been conferring with the Canadian banks and had secured assurances from them that additional financial resources would be available for moving the western crop, was news of interest today to grain dealers, wholesale merchants and business men generally.

For the past week strong reports have been going east to the government from various interests urging its intervention to prevent a tie-up. Although none of these emanated from official bodies, they were none the less representative of the business and grain interests of the Canadian west. C. C. Castle, the grain commissioner, in a communication to the department of trade and commerce, the contents of which have found their way to a Toronto newspaper, drew the attention of the government to the fact that he export trade was virtually at a standstill owing to the money available being insufficient to move grain cargoes from Fort William to the seaboard.

Mr. Castle was summoned East the latter part of last week to consult with the government on the situation. The government also made enquiries of responsible parties as to the prevailing state of affairs. The conference between Mr. Fielding and the banks followed, with the announcement that further aid would be forthcoming.

As to the extent of the aid and the manner in which it is to be applied, there is no information as yet, and pending it there is a disposition on the part of those in the grain trade to await developments before jumping to the conclusion that the situation has been adequately met. It is understood that the government was informed that in order to get the maximum quantity of grain out of the country before the close of navigation additional funds to the extent of from five to ten million dollars would be required. By the co-operation of the banks it is believed this can be done.

The chief difficulty has been in moving grain east of Fort William to the seaboard. Export has been checked by the desire of grain holders to hold this grain, owing to the price for May affording them a premium over the carrying charges, and the desire to stop this holding of grain for speculative purposes has doubtless been responsible in large part for the policy of the banks.

Unless financial and transportation facilities combine to make it possible to move forward to stocks at Fort William as rapidly as they accumulate, until the close of navigation, which at best is not more than a month away, there will be a continuance of the conditions now prevailing in the country, which makes it a difficult problem for the farmer to turn his grain into money. The Winnipeg grain men hope that as the result of Mr. Fielding's conference with the bankers the present conditions will improve, but, spoken to this morning, none cared to make any statement for publication pending more definite information.

Appeal in Murder Case.

Toronto, Nov. 12.—Chief Justice Falconbridge today reserved judgment in the application for an appeal in the case of Jake Sunfield, sentenced to be hanged at Hamilton for the murder of Andrew Radzyk. Counsel for Sunfield claims that certain evidence should not have been permitted at the trial.

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LACHINE CANAL ACCIDENT

Steamer Carries Away Gates of Lock and Sinks Barge Loaded With Wheat

Montreal, Nov. 12.—Confusion in engine room signals tonight resulted in the steamer Neepawa, an upper lake boat, ramming the upper gates of lock number one on the Lachine canal. The gates were carried away, and the rush of water in the basin above carried the steamer down into the harbor. She was not damaged, but the barge Regina, in the basin at the time, was carried out into the harbor and sunk with her cargo of 25,000 bushels of wheat. Two other barges sustained smaller damage.

On the Regina at the time were the captain, his wife and five children. The Regina before sinking swung along side another barge, and they were able to make their escape.

The total loss is placed at $50,000. Navigation will be interrupted, but the old lock is still available for vessels drawing under fourteen feet of water.

Look Out for Havoc.

Rome, Nov. 12.—Signor Alfani, director of the Florence observatory, says that the sun spots, which he calculated are twelve times the size of the earth, and which will reach the solar meridian about the middle of November, are likely to lead to violent magnetic disturbances, resulting in storms, volcanic eruptions and earthquakes. The warning has attracted attention from the fact that former predictions by Signor Alfani have been realized.

CAPTAIN OF BARGE KILLED AT UNION

Fell From Coal Wharf and Struck on Log Thirty Feet Below

Nanaimo, Nov. 12.—A deplorable accident occurred at Union bay this morning, when Capt. Frederickson, of Seattle, master of the barge Arthur Fetzer, belonging to Griffiths and Co., Seattle lost his life by falling from the coal wharf. He was in the act of passing in front of the chute part of the wharf when he struck against an iron bar, losing his balance. The bar fell against his side, and he fell into the water striking his head on a fender log. He was immediately pulled on to the wharf, but all efforts at resuscitation failed. It is believed that death was instantaneous, as he fell about thirty feet, striking on his forehead. A sad feature of the accident is that his young wife was lying ill on her bed in the cabin unaware of his death until the news was broken to her. They had been married a comparatively short time. Capt. Frederickson was a young man and very popular.

PORTLAND BANK CLOSES

Merchants' National, One of City's Larger Institutions Affected by Heavy Withdrawals

Portland, Ore., Nov. 12.—The Merchants' National bank of this city is for the time being in the hands of the comptroller of the currency. Its doors were not opened today because of unfounded, but persistent rumors which caused heavy withdrawals lately. Though expected to be entirely solvent, the bank was today closed temporarily, awaiting the advice of the comptroller of the currency, to whom the bank officials have wired details of the institution. With $5,212,052 on deposit at the close of business on August 22 last, when the comptroller called for a statement of the condition of all national banks, the bank's liquidation since that date has been over $2,300,000, of which amount $1,500,000 has been withdrawn since the specially proclaimed holiday season began on October 29.

The only assistance the bank has received is the loan of $250,000 from the clearing house association, which amount, equalling the capital stock of the bank, was the limit allowed by the national banking act. The Hanover National, the National Bank of Commerce, and the Merchants' National bank, New York, correspondents of the Merchants' National, offered to extend all necessary aid, but again the national banking act stood in the way. This left no other resource than to lay the situation before the comptroller of the currency.

Cleveland, Ohio, Nov. 12.—The Superior Savings & Trust Company today was appointed receiver of the Royal Motor Car Company in the United States Circuit court. The proceedings were instituted by E. W. Cotterell, of Detroit, and Will K. Cochrane of Chicago, a stockholder and creditor. The action is brought to conserve the company's affairs during the present monetary stringecy. The company employs four hundred men, and its years business now aggregates $1,500,000.

Pittsburg, Pa., Nov. 12.—The People's Bank of California, Pennsylvania, a small state institution, closed its door today. President Duvall announced that financial and other reasons not disclosed are responsible for the suspension. The bank is capitalized at $75,000.

Catholic Ceremony First.

Rome, Nov. 12.—The Vatican authorities are following with interest the attitude taken by Archbishop Farley, of New York, regarding the celebration of the marriage of Miss Gladys Vanderbilt and Count Lasho Zechenyl. Although the particulars are lacking, the Holy See approves every action of the Archbishop tending to emphasize the authority of the church and restore the rigidity of her rule. Archbishop Farley's stand is that the first marriage ceremony must be that of the Catholic church.

KING AND KAISER AT STATE DINNER

Exchange Wishes for Cordial Relations Between the Two Countries

FOREIGN SECRETARY SPOKE

Emperor to Live at Highcliffe Castle During Sojourn in England

Windsor, Eng., Nov. 12.—The speeches made by King Edward and Emperor William at the state dinner here were formal in tone. They consisted of a reciprocal expression of the pleasure the visit afforded, and of a mutual desire for the maintenance of friendship and peace between the two nations.

Emperor William alluded graciously to his happy childhood under the walls of the grand old Windsor castle, and he expressed the earnest wish that the close relationship existing between the two royal families should be reflected in the relations of the two countries, and thus confirm the peace of the world, which he said was the constant endeavor of King Edward and himself.

At the conclusion of the state visit at Windsor castle, Nov. 18, Emperor William will spend a fortnight at Highcliffe castle, at Christ church, near Bournemouth, a beautiful sequestered spot of historic association. King Edward, the king of Spain, and other royal personages have often stayed at Highcliffe castle.

"There is no intention of discussing at Windsor any concrete political question," said Herr Von Schoen, secretary of the German foreign office, who is accompanying Emperor William on his majesty's visit to England.

"Germany and England are in the happy position of having no actual political questions outstanding, but we hope and believe that the emperor's visit will bring about a renewal of the old time affectionate relations between the two countries. Their relations have always been correct, but this is not enough. There is an increasing desire that they become something more. Germany does not look for any specially defined political agreement or understanding, that might give rise to apprehension in the case of any other power. Our hope simply is that the relations between the governments may be closely assimilated to the not only cordial but affectionate relations existing between the reigning houses."

Killed at Sydney.

Sydney, N.S., Nov. 12.—Abraham Dibbus, aged 23, unmarried, was killed at the steel works tonight by a moving car.

ITALIAN SCANDAL BECOMES WORSE

Evidence Tends to Show Widespread Corruption in Nazi's Department

Rome, Nov. 12.—The trial of Nunzio Nazi, formerly Minister of Public Instruction, on charges of defrauding the state treasury, was continued today.

Deputy Cappelli, who was at one time Minister of Foreign Affairs, and who is now president of the parliamentary committee which is inquiring into the Nazi case, made a deposition before the court which is considered to be disastrous for the defense. Cappelli declared that at the beginning of the investigation he was convinced of the innocence of Nazi, but that the avalanche of accusations and evidence had obliged him to change his opinion. Among other things he said that the committee had been informed by a deputy that the ministry under Nazi had become the headquarters of the Cammori and the Mafia. The committee had examined certain forged receipts for subsidies intended for poor school teachers, and had found that many of these were signed with fantastic names, such as "Donkey," "Liar" and "Thief," etc., which showed the impudence as well as the criminality of the forgers.

Several newspapers today declared that Nazi had in reserve some sensational revelations which he will make at the last moment. These consist in alleged proofs that he gave the missing money to the late Premier Zanardelli to assist in the anti-Austrian propaganda in the Italian provinces still subject to Austria.

C. P. R. FREIGHT RATES

New Tariffs to Come Into Force on November 25—Eastern Rates Reduced

Winnipeg, Nov. 12.—The C. P. R. announces that the amended freight tariffs which have recently been prepared will go into effect on all western lines on November 25 next. These rates came before the board of trade for discussion this afternoon.

In regard to the new tariffs between eastern and western Canada, which will come into effect about the first of December, the reduction will be very great, and a uniform rate will be put into effect between Montreal and all points in western Ontario and Manitoba.

The C. P. R. states that any increase in the new tariff will be more than offset by reductions from the ast.

COUNTERFEITER CAUGHT

Turned Out Bogus Half Dollars Which Were Partly Composed of Silver

New York, Nov. 12.—The arraignment of Herman Henz before United States Commissioner Shields today by U. S. secret service officers, on the charge of counterfeiting, brought to light what they regard as a most important find.

Henz was held for the federal jury.

According to statements made to the commissioner Henz has been producing half dollar of partly pure silver so skilfully made that only experts could determine them. The plant where the coins were produced was said to be in a secluded spot in the Rampoag mountains, in Rockland county. The present price of silver, it was said, enabled him to purchase silver bullion or old silver for re-melting and turn out coins of standard weight and finish at a profit of about fifty per cent. About 200 of the coins had been circulated in New York before the officers secured the clue which led to Henz's arrest.

Put on Half Time.

Marlboro, Mass., Nov. 12.—The 2,200 employes of the three shoe factories of Rice & Hutchinson, incorporated, in this town, were notified last night that a half-time schedule would be entered upon today, to last indefinitely. The schedule calls for five hours' work a day. Chas. W. Curtis, resident manager of the company, said that the reduction is made necessary by the stringency in the market conditions, and uncertainty regarding the future.

INDUSTRIAL WAR IS TALKED ABOUT

American Federation of Labor Credits Its Origin to the Manufacturers

Norfolk, Nov. 12.—That there would be war to the knife between the American Federation of Labor and the National Association of Manufacturers was evidenced today at the session of the Federation of Labor here. The Federation has already taken the aggressive by looking to the establishment of a fund to fight the Manufacturers' Association through its executive council. The cry is that undue pressure is being brought to bear by the manufacturers of the country against organized labor, to the detriment of the latter, it is claimed. The manufacturers combat this in a statement issued today by Jas. Van Cleave, president of the National Association of Manufacturers, in which he holds that the object of his association is to put unions on a basis whereby they may be held responsible for their contracts. As an instance he calls attention to the pending suit in New York of the Typothetae against the pressmen, alleging the breaking of contracts by the pressmen.

The executive committee of the Federation reported that the contest has been brought about through the Manufacturers' Association with an available fund of $1,500,000. The executive committee report discussed many features of the year's activity.

Toronto is seeking next year's convention.

Killed by a Fall.

Toronto, Nov. 12.—While cleaning windows at 156 York street, Marratana Covulcina, a Roumanian woman, fell from the third story to the cement sidewalk, alighting on the back of her head. She died instantly.

Speaker Sutherland

Windsor, Ont., Nov. 12.—Speaker Sutherland, M. P. for North Essex, today denied the story that he intended retiring from parliament. If re-nominated he would gladly run, he declared.

Collins to be Executed.

St. John, N.B., Nov. 12.—The execution of Thomas Collins, who is to pay the death penalty for the murder of Mary Ann McCauley, will take place on Thursday. Collins' crime was a particularly cold-blooded one. The woman he murdered was the niece and housekeeper of Rev. Father McCauley, who had given Collins a home.

Bank of Montreal Profits.

Montreal, Nov. 12.—The annual statement of the Bank of Montreal, issued today, shows that net profits for the year have been 13¾ per cent on the capital of $14,400,000, as compared with 12½ per cent a year ago. The figures are: Balance, profit and loss account, October, 1906, $159,731; profits for year ending October 31, 1907, after deducting charges of management and making provision for bad debts, $1,198,138.

Verdict of Not Guilty

Ottawa, Ont. 12.—At the inquest today at Osgood upon the death of Martha Burns, wife of Thos. Burns, who died and was buried in quick order, and whose husband left the village, a verdict of not guilty was returned. After analysis by Toronto physicians, they wired that they could swear to absolutely no strychnine being in the stomach. Neigabors in the village spread stories of the man illusing his deceased wife, but no definite evidence could be produced at the inquest.

Witness for Thaw Trial.

Pittsburg, Pa., Nov. 12.—Miss Ida Veronia Simonton, of this city, whose name was mentioned during the first trial of Harry Thaw, returned home today after spending a year and a half in the jungles of Africa. She said today: "I will go to New York and testify in the Thaw case. I have not been subpeoned, but will answer a summons from either side. My testimony will change the whole complexion of the case. The story told by Mrs. Chas. Holman, of her being deserted in London is true. I will not say which side my testimony will favor."

TAX KEEPS AWAY FLOOD OF CHINESE

Interesting Statement Made to Commissioner King by a Wealthy Chinaman

HIGH WAGES THE MAGNET

Fiendish Murder of Little Girl Shocks People of North Vancouver

Vancouver, Nov. 12.—Yip Sing, Vancouver's wealthiest Chinaman, told Immigration Commissioner King this afternoon that he believed half of China would come over here if it were not for the practically prohibitive head tax. Yip continued: "If that head tax were removed I would import Chinese laborers just as did Onderdonk twenty-five years ago, when the fare was only thirty-five dollars each. The companies here cannot afford to import Chinese at five hundred dollars each."

Commissioner King—"There is no head tax on Japanese. Are the companies bringing them over?"

"I don't tell too fast what I think," replied Yip suavely, and the examination ended. Earlier in the inquiry, Yip said: "Wages too high here. That's what brings them. Chinese laborer now wants two-fifty per day, when we get them four years ago for half that. All over China they know of the good wages here and would come if could afford it."

The result of the examination today went to show that if the Chinese tax were removed, there would be a tremendous influx of Chinese, which would put in the shade the Japanese and Hindus combined.

A Shooting Crime.

The most frightful crime of its kind that ever occurred in British Columbia came to light tonight with the finding of the body of seven-year-old Clementine, daughter of Captain Thomas Nahu, of North Vancouver. The little girl had been killed by a blow of a steel wedge, which shattered her skull. Two bloodstained razors lying on the ground beside the lacerated body told a story of fearful torture.

The child disappeared at noon on Saturday and it was not until dusk this evening that the body was found in bushes quarter of a mile from her father's home. Still grasped in the child's hand were the car tickets her mother had given her with which to make the trip to Vancouver. Since Sunday morning hundreds of people have joined in the search for the child. Tonight the entire police force of Vancouver has been turned loose on the case. A negro, a former convict, was seen in the neighborhood at the time the murder is supposed to have been committed on Saturday, and that evening he disappeared. He is suspected of the murder.

Architect Hofar Dead.

N. S. Hofar, a pioneer architect, builder of the court house here and recently Grand Trunk Pacific architect at Prince Rupert, died today.

Oldest Resident Dead

Berlin, Ont., Nov. 12.—Mrs. Barnsbas Bavitt died today, aged 96. She was Waterloo county's oldest resident.

Dentists' Rules.

Toronto, Nov. 12.—According to a new rule adopted by the Royal College of Dental Surgery of Ontario, no company or corporation shall hire or employ a dentist who is not a member of the college. The rule is operative through the control of the college over its own members, who are forbidden to work in the employ of any one who is not a member of the college.

Fireman Was Killed.

Montreal, Nov. 12.—Early this morning while a freight train was standing at St. Clet water tank, there being a clear track and signals out, a following freight train in some way not ascertained disregarded the signals and pitched into the rear of the first train, with the result that the engine and several cars of freight were destroyed and Fireman Daniel Monney, of Smith's Falls, was killed.

Waterways Question.

St. Catharines, Ont., Nov. 12.—At the next session of the Dominion parliament the merits of several plans which have been submitted to make the Welland canal waterway capable of accommodating the largest vessels will be discussed. The question of either improving the St. Lawrance route or of proceeding with the Georgia bay canal will also be discussed and a decision made.

Soldiers and Indians Fight.

Durango, Colo., Nov. 12.—A report reached here tonight that a battle occurred at McElmo Canyon between Ute Indians and U.S. troops, in which six Indians were killed. No soldiers were killed or wounded. McElmo canyon is in Montezuma county, and close to the Navajo reservation. The Utes have been resisting the attempts of the soldiers to compel them to return to their reservation. The report of the battle cannot be verified at this time, but it is believed here.

Buckingham Rioters' Trial.

Ottawa, Nov. 12.—An answer was received today by Judge Talbot, who is presiding at the Buckingham strikers' trial at Hull, from the Attorney-General regarding the motion of Attorney H. A. Goyette, the counsel for the strikers, in which Mr. Goyette requested that the crown should pay the expense of the defense's witnesses. The attorney-general held that the usual rule must be followed in this case, and that the crown will not pay the expenses of the witnesses for the defense.

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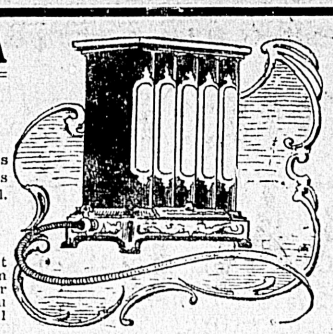

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"HINDRANCES TO FAITH" IS SPEAKER'S SUBJECT

Crossley and Hunter Spoke to Large Congregation in Metropolitan Church

A large congregation gathered in the Metropolitan church last evening to hear the evangelists, Crossley and Hunter. The united choirs of the city were present, and with E. Parsons at the organ, rendered good service.

Rev. J. E. Hunter took as his bible reading Luke, chapter 5, the story of Christ teaching from the ship, and deduced a number of lessons. He observed that Christ was a popular preacher. He drew large crowds, and when he had drawn them to him he fed them. He was persecuted, but he was an effective preacher. He was a stayer and could not be made to "quit." He spoke extemporaneously, used no notes and took simple subjects, talked of things which his audience knew in everyday life. He was a weekday preacher. He preached every day of the seven. He went amongst the common people and did not confine his ministering to the rich. He was an outdoor preacher.

The evangelist stated that such preachers are needed at the present day. They would do much good.

Then he "launched out into the deep." Men of deep sea experience are needed today. The shallow men are always dangerous. Men are wanted today who know whereof they speak.

Though the disciples had met with failure, yet they said "We will let down our nets at Thy word." Despite failure they had faith. This is grand maxim and it is sure to bring success. A man of optimistic faith can make success out of failure.

Peter was overcome with the success which they obtained. He said: "Depart from me Lord, for I am a sinful man." Success humbled Peter.

Success should always humble people. Too often it turns men's heads. Success should humble preachers, for then they will be more effective.

It does not hurt the humblje preacher to give him a word of praise. Too often words of kindnesses are kept till the man is dead. Taffy is better than epitaphy. Jesus said, "Fear not, Simon, thou shalt catch men."

The speaker stated that he would rather be a fisher of men than an angel. A good fisher must know how to fish. For rock bass he must get near the rock. For mud cats he must get near the mud. It is necessary for the preachers to get near the mud to save the souls who are submerged in sin in this city. Some fish have to be speared. This is true of the fishing for men. The evangelists have to spear some men. They don't like it, it hurts them. Afterwards they are thankful for it though.

Men require talent and tact. Talent is power and tact is skill. Talent commands, tact obeys. Preachers need both, but of the two tact is the better. Preachers must be wise.

These men forsook all and followed Him. The speaker advised the congregation not to be afraid to make some slight sacrifices for Christ. They should not try to drive too hard a bargain with Christ. They could not do it. Christ would not stand it. He does not coerce. He uses gentle persuasive arts. "This is the way, walk you in it."

Rev. Mr. Crossley sang the colored version of the "Ninety and Nine," then "Flee As a Bird to the Mountain."

He took as his text from Act, chapter 10, where Cornelius prays to have Peter sent to him. The title of the address was "Hindrances to Faith."

The speaker in developing his theme stated that these were of many kinds. People think that faith is difficult, whereas it is as simple a mental act as a physical act is easy. Lack of repentance is one hindrance. The publicans and harlots were saved before the Pharisees and self-righteous because they repented.

After speaking for some little time upon this phase, Mr. Crossley sang "Knocking and Pleading."

Another hindrance to faith is the wrong idea of what pleading is. Yet another is unwillingness to believe. God does not blame anybody for not believing, but he does not coerce.

Many state that they are "trying" to believe. This is a fatal hindrance. It is as if we would refuse to accept the word of a friend, and it must be a great source of pain to God that we are trying to believe His word, as if we doubted his word. Dismiss the word "try" forever.

Lack of present decision is yet another cause. It is a matter to be decided at once. Personal decision is necessary.

Mr. Crossley closed his address with the singing of "Will You Be Saved Tonight." Mr. Hunter then took charge of the service and pleaded for personal and immediate decision.

A number of requests for prayers were received, and a number presented themselves at the prayer circle for assistance.

"The Unpardonable Sin, Blasphemy Against the Holy Supirit," will be the sermon this evening in the Metropolitan church.

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MUST SETTLE BILL OR MOOSE WILL STAY

Parks Board Wants Pay For Upkeep of Animal—Boulevard Report

Unless he pays the city ten dollars a month for the past three years, the period during which his bull moose has rusticated within the confines of Beacon Hill park, C. A. Cullin will have no moose. Such was the decision arrived at at yesterday's meeting of the parks board. Some time ago Mr. Cullin wrote the board stating that he had received an offer for the moose, but as he thought the city should have the first opportunity of purchasing the animal, which he was willing to sell for $250. He remarked at the time that the animal has been a great attraction to those visiting the park, and as such a fine specimen is not to be got "in every bush," he suggested that the park's board should purchase the animal.

The animal has been in the park for the past three years, and Ald. Hanna, who was then a member of the parks board, was asked by the present board to explain on what basis the property of Mr. Cullin had been allowed into the park. As Mr. Cullin had received no answer from the board, he again wrote, stating that he had another offer for the animal, and requesting the board to act quickly.

Ald. Hanna's report was also read, as follows:

Replying to your letter of the 14th inst., I would say that my recollection of the matter is that Mr. Cullin got permission from Ald. Douglas, the then chairman of the park committee, to leave the animal in the park in care of the park keeper, and so far as I am aware, this was the only arrangement made between the city and Mr. Cullin.

I remember that Mr. Cullin offered to sell the moose at that time at a certain figure, which was considered too high by the council. The moose was not then full grown, being only a calf, and since that time, for the space of three years, he has been maintained and cared for by the city.

In view of this I would suggest that Mr. Cullin be allowed the sum of $175 for the animal, and charged $175 for the animals' keep and attendance during that time. This would bring the value of the animal to $250, the price now asked by him.

Ald. Hanna, so it was figured out by the board, had placed the value of the animal at $350, and not $250, as he states. However, it was finally decided to charge a monthly fee of $10 a month as a species of "upkeep," and the park keeper will be instructed not to let the animal out of the enclosure until that amount, or $300 in all, has been paid.

Report on Boulevards.

Boulevard Superintendent D. D. England submitted the following report:

Mr. Chairman and Members,—I hereby submit my report of the work accomplished up to date. In doing so, I may state that while I have not got on as fast as I would have liked to, owing to unavoidable delay, yet I hope the work has been satisfactory. Seven streets are boulevarded and sown, namely, Heywood avenue, Elliott, Superior, Michigan, South Turner, Clarence and Medana street. The grass is well up and rolled on Heywood avenue, and will soon be long enough to cut. The others are also showing up pretty good. The total frontage sown being approximately 11,500 feet, or over two miles. This will be all that can be seeded this fall. There are three more streets to be done, but these will not take long, as a good portion is already done, the balance can be levelled and filled up, the trees can be planted any time now.

In this connection I may say that I have visited the local nurseries and herewith submit a list of trees that can be obtained from them, together with the prices thereof.

I would strongly recommend that no flowering shrubs be planted on the present boulevards, as I find the dogs are a great nuisance, and in this connection I do sincerely request that stronger measures be taken to stop the same. The majority of the dogs which cause the trouble are without collar or tag. The boys also are not yet educated to leave the flowering shrubs alone.

I have had some trouble with cattle which were driven after dark on Superior street. I at once found out the owners and warned them, but an official notice to each cattle buyer in the city I think will have the effect of stopping the nuisance.

I also request that more streets be placed on the list for boulevarding as the present ones will soon be done, and it would be a pity to let some of the men go now, just as soon as they are broken into the work. If it were possible to get such streets as Quadra and Vancouver or Cook street that would show up to advantage. On these wide streets there would be no necissity for a curb for the time being, a sod being laid instead—this would make it much cheaper and will look just as well. The trees would be growing into value, they could be planted and the ground filled in. The sowing could be left till spring. I may state here that so far as I have gone, I think I shall be able to accomplish my part of the work for little more than half the estimate if any.

There is the same notable feature about the boulevarding here that I have noticed in the past. That is, the property owners on said streets are improving their own premises, buildings and fences are being painted, also the gardens are being fixed and a general clearing up going on.

I wish to draw your attention to the fact that as far as I can ascertain, no provision has yet been made for the maintenance of the boulevards we are laying. This should be done at once. I have told many of the owners that this was the intention, so that the amount would be charged up at the end of each year.

Another matter which needs attention is the noxious weeds on vacant lots. At the present time there is a space of 200 lineal feet of boulevard, the grass just coming up, covered white with thistledown blown off an adjoining lot, and no doubt will cause a deal of trouble, the same will occur in other parts of the city.

Your obiedient servant.
D. D. ENGLAND,
Supt. of Boulevards.

The list of trees, with prices of same, mentioned in the above report was referred to the boulevard committee and the pound keeper's attention will be called to the dog nuisance. Whether the dogs bore tags or not Mr. England was not certain though he thought not. Mayor Morley thought that if some step were taken to prevent dogs running on the streets there would be a great outcry from the owners. Mr. Arbuthnot declared it was done in other cities and could be done here.

Cattle Destroy Boulevards

A letter recently sent to the city council by F. Napier Dennison, and referred to the parks board was read. The writer complained of the damage which has been done to the boulevard on Superior street by cattle being driven from the outer wharf through the city. As more streets will be boulevarded from time to time this practice of driving cattle through the streets will become more and more of a nuisance. The owners of the cattle which did the damage in the particular instance referred to by Mr. Dennison were, the boulevard superintendent said, R. Porter & Sons, butchers. The council has already advised owners of cattle that they must not drive their property over the boulevarded streets. The mayor suggested that the board take steps to prevent the driving of cattle at all through the streets. At present there is nothing in the parks bylaw giving the board power to prevent this, but there is some such provision in the streets bylaw. The damage done on Superior is estimated by the boulevard superintendent at about $15, and Porter & Sons will be asked to pay this amount. Hereafter should the owners of cattle refuse to pay for any damage done they will probably be prevented from driving the cattle through the city streets.

Makes Suggestion

The following letter from J. J. Coughlan to the city council and referred to the parks board was, after a brief discussion tabled and the board will, next Monday morning at 9 o'clock, inspect the locality referred to and decide what would be the best method of boulevarding the street so as to preserve the natural beauties of the place.

Gentlemen,—I observe that the city engineer is proceeding with the work of laying permanent sidewalks and boulevarding park roads and Humboldt street. The grade of the street in the vicinity of park road is somewhat higher than the natural contour of the adjoining land, and in connection with this street, which is one of the park entrances, I would respectfully request that your honorable body consider the advisability of laying the sidewalk at a distance of about 10 feet from the property line, the space between forming a boulevard and affording a means of sloping from the street grade to the natural grade of the properties affected. Park road being 106 wide, there would still be ample room to provide a 54 foot roadway, with another 10 foot boulevard on each side, between the roadway and the sidewalk. The treatment suggested is somewhat similar to that of Alfred street and Linden avenue, the effect being very pleasing.

Other Business

A petition from a number of property owners on Superior street requesting that evergreens and laurels be planted along the boulevards, was received. The owners suggest that many trees shed their leaves in the fall, thus rendering the roadway unsightly. As that thoroughfare enters the park the petitioners thought that to make Victoria, what it has been called, the evergreen city of Canada, the planting of evergreens, would be both appropriate and useful. The parks board had already decided to plant cut-leaf birch trees along the boulevards on that street with weigalias between. It was decided to supplant the weigalais by laurel and keep to the original plan of planting the cut-leaf birch.

The request of W. H. Pooley, who wished permission to trap a number of the quail in the Beacon Hill park and take them to Prevost island for breeding purposes was refused; on account of the fact that there are at present but few quail at the park. Many of the birds have escaped and have been shot in the neighborhood of the park the number left being but small.

F. B. Pemberton called attention to the great quantity of manure, sweepings, leaves and other refuse which is now being deposited at the city dump on the flats. This could be used to good purpose as fertilser at the park. The city engineer was instructed to notify the man at the dump to direct all this refuse, wherever suitable, to the park, where it will be dumped and when in a proper state be used.

Those present at the meeting were: John Arbuthnot, chairman; Mayor Morley, Ald. Henderson, J. A. Nelson and F. B. Pemberton.

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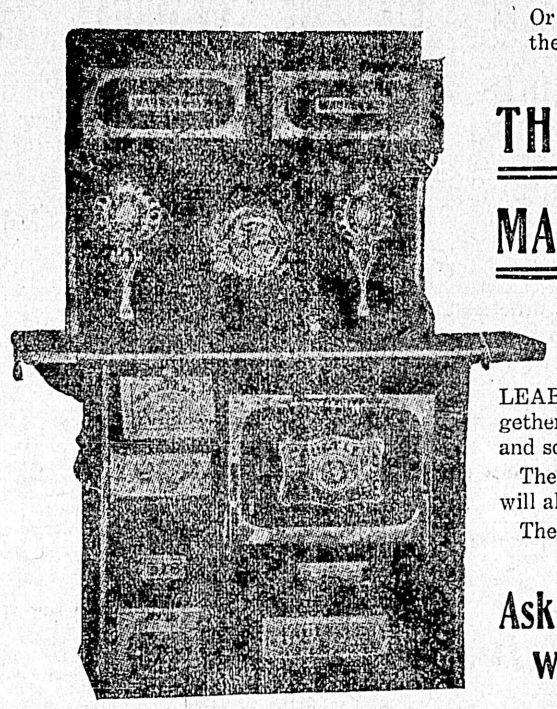

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WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENTS

Copeland-Robey

At the Centennial Methodist church on Monday evening, a quiet wedding was solemnized by Rev. S. J. Thompson, when George Copeland, of Pender island, and Miss Elizabeth Frances Robey, of Oxford, England, were married. Mr. and Mrs. Copeland will reside on Pender island.

Burnes-Pears

The marriage of Mr. Robert Edward Burnes, of this city, and Miss Sybil Pears, of Metchosin, was celebrated yesterday at the bishop's palace, Archbishop Orth officiating.

The groom is a son of Mr. Thomas Burnes of the local customs department and the bride a daughter of Mr. George Pears of Metchosin.

The bride, who was becomingly gowned in white, was attended by Miss Viola Semple and Miss Puss Woodill. Mr. Charles W. Geiger supported the groom. The groom's present to the bride was a very handsome set of mink furs, while those to bridesmaids were pearl crescent brooches. The newly wedded couple left last night on the Princess Victoria for Seattle and other Sound ports, after which they will take up their residence in this city.

SUICIDE'S WISH NOT TO BE FOLLOWED OUT

Wanted to Be Buried in Victoria—The Body Will Be Sent East

The wish expressed by Samuel Tota, when he wrote on the fly leaf of his pocket diary that if he died he should be buried in Victoria, is not likely to be carried out. When the effects of the man who so seriously injured Miss Lottie Dodd, and then killed himself, on Sunday evening, were taken in charge by the police the diary was examined, and therein was the direction apparently written by Tota himself.

Since the tragedy the committee of the local Cigar Makers' union has taken charge of the body and by communicating with the branch of the union at Elmira, New York, has succeeded in locating a brother of the dead man. The Elmira union requests that the body be forwarded to that place, and this will be done in a day or two. There will be no services held here, the body being shipped direct from Smith's undertaking rooms.

MASQUERADE BALL IS A PRONOUNCED SUCCESS

Enjoyable Entertainment is Provided By Sons and Daughters of St. George

All was gay at the annual masquerade ball of the Sons and Daughters of St. George, which was held last evening at the A. O. U. W. hall in Yates street. The ballroom was gaily decorated with flags, banners and bunting of many colors, while the costumes were of an even gayer hue, of all descriptions and styles. There were Indians, cowboys, fairies, Dutchmen and girls, Irishmen and Irish lassies, Highlanders, courtiers, policemen, tramps, wild men from Borneo and wild men from Vancouver, and a myriad of others. So large was the attendance that the hall was uncomfortably crowded all the evening, and the dancing on account of the crush was robbed of much of its pleasure. But it was a success of a most prnounced degree and the committee in charge had every reason to feel elated as a result.

Up till midnight the floor was reserved for those in costume only, but after twelve o'clock the spectators joined in the dancing. The proceedings opened at 9 o'clock with a grand parade of the maskers, followed by a set of lancers. Thereafter there was a diversified programme of dances to music furnished by Thain's orchestra. The committee estimated that there were over 300 dancers in costume and an equal number of spectators. The committee in charge consisted of Mesdames Greenholgh, Penreth, Levy, Rivers, Rowbottom and Savony, and Messrs. Penreth, Barnett, Rudd, Levy, Rivers, Junes, Greenholgh and Hepworth.

The judges were Miss Mary Hutchison, Mrs. Simpson, T. Gold and F. J. Cochenons. They had a difficult time awarding the prizes to the maskers, but eventually they agreed upon the following:

Best dressed lady, for China tea set, Mrs. D. T. Barnardt, rose and white satin.

Best dressed gentleman, for case of pipes, Chas. Stokes, French courtier.

National lady, for oak silver biscuit jar, Mrs. F. L. Henry, Canada.

National gentleman, for black dress-suit case, L. A. Wattlet, John Bull.

Sustained lady, for rocking chair, Mrs. Ranns, London waif.

Sustained gentlemen, for box cigars, and amber and gold cigar holder and case, Watson and Stanland, Gold Dust twins.

Original character lady, for manicure set, Mrs. Chas. Setterfield, squaw.

Original character gentleman, for dressing valise, Frank Le Roy, Yellow Kid.

Comic character lady, for water set, Miss B. Frank, Japrenza.

Comic character gentleman, for brown dress-suit case, Mr. Willby, bald Hebrew.

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The British steamer Fitzpatrick, wheat laden from Portland for the United Kingdom, passed up to Nanaimo yesterday to load bunker coal.

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VERDICT IS GIVEN IN INQUEST ON S. TOTA

Witnesses of Tragedy Testify to Occurrences of Sunday Night

"We find that Samuel Tota came to his death by a wound inflicted by his own hand." Such was the verdict of the jury that yesterday enquired into the circumstances surrounding the death of the cigarmaker who tried to kill Miss Todd with a razor, and failing, immediately cut his own throat. The inquest was conducted by the coroner, Dr. E. C. Hart, the jurymen being Thomas Brown, foreman; John Brown, W. A. Smith, J. H. Smith, William Duncan and William Speed.

After being sworn the jury repaired to W. B. Smith's undertaking parlors to view the body which will be embalmed and shipped east at the request of the deceased's brother who lives at Elmira, New York. He is reputed to be well off. The dead man also was not destitute of funds as apart from a few dollars in money a bankbook showing that he had $120 on deposit in a New Westminster bank was found in his pocket.

The first witness called was C. Pemberton, who testified that he was at Roccabella on Sunday evening last and was startled about 7.30 p.m. by hearing two shots fired, which were followed by the loud screams of a woman. He immediately ran out, and though it was very dark and hard to distinguish objects he saw what looked like the figure of a woman. He went to meet her and found her very excited. Taking hold of her arm he noticed that her clothing was wet. She called out twice "that man tried to kill me." He crossed the road to what in the darkness looked like a man, and there saw an individual writhing on the ground. As he got closer he could see that he was badly hurt, and was moving convulsively. At this moment a man came up in his shirt sleeves, and the witness asked him to look after the woman while he telephoned for the police and a doctor, which he at once proceeded to do. He saw no more of the woman after that, but the police soon came and on his return home he found that his clothing was covered with blood.

John W. Smith, secretary of the local Cigarmakers' union, identified the body as that of Samuel Tota. He said he had worked in Victoria off and on for the past two or three years, but had recently been working at New Westminster and was a member of the union at that place. Tota was retient at times, but was of a very jealous, excitable nature, and the witness was not at all surprised when he heard of what had occurred, as he always considered that he would be a very bad man to deal with when angered. Asked as to his nationality, Mr. Smith said he was not sure. He was generally referred to as German, but he might have been an Austria, a Hungarian or a Pole. He believed that he was born in the States and had a brother living at Elmira, New York, though his parents were dead. He thought Tota was not more than 26 years of age.

Robert Sangster, who lives in the vicinity, said he had just returned from a shooting trip on the evening of the tragedy, and was in his shirt sleeves about to clean his gun when he heard shots. He also heard screams and running out dimly saw some figures standing in front of Cherrybank.

"As I approached a woman ran into me, saying 'For Heaven's sake, help me,'" continued Mr. Sangster. "I asked her what was the matter, as I noticed she was bleeding, and she said "That man tried to kill me." He was lying groaning about six feet away, evidently too far gone to do any more damage. She said she could walk and asked me to take her to the hospital as quickly as possible, so I took hold of her and helped her along as fast as I could. On the way she told me that the man had stabbed her. She was bleeding very badly."

The witness then detailed taking her to the hospital and leaving her in the operating room under the care of the sister superior and the nurses.

Henry W. Lester testified that he was leaving the hospital about 7.30 on Sunday evening when he heard two shots and then screams. Soon after he met a gentleman helping a lady to the hospital and heard the latter say "I am bleeding terribly." He went on and enquired what had happened and then saw a crowd of people round a man who was lying in the road. Some one struck a match, and he then was able to see that the man had his throat cut.

Sergt. R. H. Walker described his visit to the scene of the tragedy with the patrol waggon having fetched Dr. Robertson on the way. They found the body, now in the morgue, lying in the middle of the road opposite Cherrybank. It was warm and moved once after he arrived. The throat was cut very badly. About three or four minutes after their arrival Dr. Robertson pronounced the man dead, and the body was removed to the morgue. Afterwards he saw Miss Dodd at the hospital. Later with Constables Fry and Palmer he searched the place where the body was found and discovered a razor, which was produced. After further search they also found a pistol lying about thirty feet away in the grass near the sidewalk. They also found the razor case near the pistol. The revolver, which was a new Iver-Johnson, contained two empty shells and three loaded ones.

Dr. Robertson, the city health officer, corroborated the evidence of the sergeant, and gave the direct cause of death as hemorrhage from the wound. There were pools of blood in the road. He afterwards examined Miss Dodd at the hospital who was very badly cut. She was suffering from three severe slashes in the face and one in the throat. She also had a finger badly cut.

After a few remarks from the coroner that they should confine their attention to the cause of Samuel Tota's death, the jury with very little delay brought in the verdict given above.

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MANY MATTERS BEFORE THE BOARD OF TRADE

Interview With Mr. Templeman—Inter-Imperial News Service

The council of the board of trade dealt with a number of important matters at their meeting yesterday. Possibly that of the greatest local interest was the report presented by F. A. Pauline, giving an outline of the results of the conference the board's committee had with Hon. Wm. Templeman just prior to his return to Ottawa. Another matter of great importance was a communication from the Vancouver board of trade regarding the establishment of an Inter-Imperial news service to take the place of the present Associated Press service, the foreign news of which is derived from American sources. The matter was referred to C. H. Lugrin and John Nelson, as a special committee to report at the monthly meeting of the board tomorrow afternoon.

President F. A. Pauline occupied the chair, and among the members present were Simon Leiser, J. A. Mara, L. A. Genge, R. H. Swinnerton, T. W. Patterson, James Foreman, D. Doig, S. J. Pitts, E. G. Prior, C. H. Lugrin, D. R. Ker and Secretary F. Elworthy.

Commercial Education.

The first business was a letter from the London, England, Chamber of Commerce, asking for co-operation in a scheme of commercial education. This matter was considered by a special committee of the board about a year ago, which came to the conclusion that it was unlikely that there would be a sufficient number of applicants to take the examination to make it worth while going ahead with the plan. No action was therefore taken. The letter follows:

Dear Sir:

The Commercial Education committee of this chamber desire to call your attention to the scheme of commercial education, which it has promoted since 1890, and cordially invites the assistance of your chamber in this important work.

No less than 33 chambers of commerce in the United Kingdom, and the Colonies are co-operating with this chamber, by conducting, under their auspices, the examination of students who may be presented from the schools or colleges in their respective towns and districts.

A copy of the Syllabus of the Examinations for 1908—a circular letter, addressed to parents, guardians and students, setting forth the objects and advantages of these examinations for those intended for a commercial career—and the rules and regulations for the formation of a local centre of examinations, by chambers of Commerce are sent under separate cover. Should you require additional copies of any of the above, or further particulars relating thereto, they will be readily supplied on application.

Trusting that your chamber may give this matter their careful consideration and decide to co-operate in this movement.

KENRIC B. MURRAY,
Secretary Chamber of Commerce,
Victoria.

Endorse Ship Canal.

The council endorsed a resolution passed by the board of trade in favor of the investigation of the Huron and Ontario ship canal scheme to connect Georgian Bay and Lake Ontario by canal at a cost of about $45,000,000.

Meeting With Mr. Templeman.

The following report was then presented by Mr. Pauline and adopted by the council, dealing with the proceedings at the interview had with Mr. Templeman, November 5, in reference to various matters of local importance. It was also ordered that a copy be made and forwarded to the minister for a reminder.

Gentlemen—I beg to report that some members of your body met Hon. William Templeman, at his office, this morning, for the purpose of discussing such public matters as will require his urgent attention on reaching Ottawa.

Harbor improvements—It was learned that the new dredger for Victoria is being shipped from the Polson Works and that it will be assembled at New Westminster. It is improbable, however, that it will be ready for work within four or more months. The importance of getting a suitable appropriation for continuous operation passed in the next federal estimates will receive Mr. Templeman's attention at the proper time.

The question of the plan for harbor improvement was discussed and there appears no reason to depart from that already presented and approved by the government, namely, to first deepen the channel of the inner harbor below the railway bridge to a uniform depth of twenty feet of water.

Aids to navigation—The list of aids to navigation presented to Mr. Templeman on March 15, 1906, was then examined and Capt. Troup reported that the works completed and arranged for relegates that list to a position of being out of date. The captain eulogized the Dominion government for the excellent work done recently in safeguarding shipping. Capt. Troup, being a member of the Lighthouse Board of Canada, and reporting so favorably, it was not considered necessary to make any further recommendations at present.

Wireless Telegraphy—Hon. Mr. Templeman reported that some wireless stations will be started as soon as operators can be arranged for.

Dominion Telegraphs—It was also learned that the board's wishes that the Dominion government telegraphs should be operated by the Dominion government have been acceded to and that a telegraph office is being opened in the postoffice building. This service is supplementary to the arrangements whereby the line is operated by the Canadian Pacific Railway company.

Experimental Farm—The establishment of an experimental farm is only delayed for want of a decision as to a site. The advantages of Saanich peninsula were referred to and it is expected will receive consideration.

Pilotage—The question of pilotage was introduced but in consequence of another report being expected from the special committee, was not discussed at length, but some members impressed upon Hon. Mr. Templeman that nothing short of the abolition of compulsory pilotage will satisfy the board.

Seymour Narrows—Hon. Mr. Templeman was reminded that railway connection with Vancouver Island by way of Bute Inlet is a very live question, and will continue so.

Indian Reserve—Discussion upon the Indian Reserve question, if brief, was very much to the point and so far as this board is concerned, can be summed up by stating that the Indians stand in the way of the progress of the city and that the Dominion government is expected to solve the question. Notwithstandng Mr. Templeman's assurance that everything possible is being done in this direction, the feeling was that something should have been accomplished ere this.

F. A. PAULINE.

Inter-Imperial News Service

The next business before the council was a letter from the Vancouver board of trade asking for the favorable consideration of a resolution setting forth the desirability of an Inter-Imperial news service, and stating some of the reasons why the Associated Press service coming from the United States was so unsatisfactory. The council seemed impressed with the suggestion and referred the matter to C. H. Lugrin and John Nelson as a special committee to report at the forthcoming monthly meeting of the board. The Vancouver message says:

Sir,—I have the honor to submit for your kind perusal copy of a resolution of this board on the subject of the desirability of a system of improved press information of an inter-imperial nature being established for Canada, the existing Associated Press matter received through United States channels being for several reasons highly unsatisfactory.

In the hope that the subject may commend itself to your favorable consideration.

WM. SKENE,
Secretary.

The resolution is as follows;

Whereas, the Associated Press despatches received by Canadian newspapers consist in great part either of ultra-North American news filtered through United States channels or of local happenings throughout the American union, which have small interest for Canadians;

Whereas, there is an abundant Atlantic submarine cable service to Canada direct;

Whereas, British Columbia is practically the transmission terminal of the Pacific cable, and we receive no Australasian news;

Whereas, the commercial intercourse between Canada and Australia is rapidly increasing, and

Whereas, the best inter-imperial connection possible to be obtained for the interchange of news is much to be desired;

Be it resolved, that in the opinion of the Vancouver board of trade the time has come when arrangements should be entered into for the establishment of an inter-imperial news agency; and resolved, further, that this is a matter of so much importance to Canada in particular, that the co-operation of the Dominion and the various provincial governments be asked to consider the question and to further its object by such means as to them may seem best.

Resolved also, that copies of this resolution be forwarded to the right honorable the premier of Canada, the honorable the premiers of the nine provinces and of Newfoundland, also to the right honorable the president of the board of trade, London, the honorable the colonial secretary, London, the high commissioner for Canada, London; the right honorable the premiers of the Commonwealth of Australia and of the Dominion of New Zealand, and to the principal boards of trade in the Dominion, the Canadian Manufacturers' association, and chambers of Commerce in Great Britain, Ireland, Australia and New Zealand, as well as to the leading newspapers in Canada.

Information About Island.

The fullest information as to the resources and possibilities of Vancouver Island as an objective point for transcontinental railways have been before the board at different times, but yesterday C. H. Lugrin drew attention to important articles on the subject that had appeared in the press from time to time, and offered to collate this information and present it to the board in a condensed form suitable for publication. The offer was accepted with thanks.

It transpired at the meeting that some members had approached Herbert Carmichael with a request that he should address the board, and more particularly on the resources of the west coast, and it was stated yesterday that Mr. Carmichael had consented to give the address and further to illustrate his lecture with lantern views. It is expected that the lecture will be delivered in about three weeks' time, but in accepting Mr. Carmichael's kind offer the exact date was left for him to decide.

The agenda paper as settled yesterday for the regular meeting tomorrow is as follows:

Competition with Norwegian steamers in coasting trade.

Edmonton-Victoria railway.—Application for a charter for a railway between Edmonton and Victoria.

Press agency.—Resolution advocating establishment of inter-imperial news service.

General.—Such other matters as may be referred to the meeting by the council.

Negotiations are on foot between the Cunard line and the Grand Trunk Pacific of Canada for the joint handling of Canadian passengers and freight traffic, says a Liverpool despatch. The scheme, which is still in its initial stage, contemplates running a line of Cunard steamers direct from Liverpool to Canada and a Cunard line service from the Canadian Pacific coast to Japan, China and Australia.

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WOMAN'S WORK

The Ladies Aid, of the Metropolitan church will hold a sale of work on Tuesday, November 26th. Tea will be served and an entertainment given in the evening.

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The Musical club concert will be held in the Lecture room of St. Andrew's church on Saturday afternoon at the usual hour. Further announcements will be made later in the week.

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Victorians are cordially invited to be present at an Arbutus fair to be given by the King's Daughters in Metchosin hall, afternoon and evening of Saturday, November 23. The programme will include musical numbers, recitations, fancy drills by the school children of Metchosin and Rocky point. Special features will be guessing contests, bean bags, pitching contests, fortune telling, Christmas tree, post office, generous goose, etc. Articles for sale will be home-made candy, stationery, many kinds of fancy work, plain sewing, etc. Christmas gifts of all sorts may be purchased. Refreshments will be served at moderate charge. Admission fee, 25 cents will be charged in the evening, afternoon free.

The following ladies have charge of the stalls: Plain sewing, Mrs. Stephenson, Mrs. Foster; Candy, Mrs. Weir, Mrs. Fisher; Fancy work, Miss Loat, Miss Ball, Miss Parker; Stationery and Post office, Mrs. Watt, Miss Weir, Miss Cayzer; Refreshments, Mrs. Helgesen, Mrs. Tumility, Miss Foster, Miss V. Trenchard; Christmas tree, Mrs. Stephenson, Miss N. Pears, Miss Grubb; Generous goose, Mrs. Cornwall, Miss Rye; Bean bags, Mrs. Deners, Guessing contests, Miss Ross.

The King's Daughters and others who have contributions for the fair are asked to leave them not later than this week at the Alexandra club, addressed to Mrs. Watt, district secretary.

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The third concert of the season will be given by the Ladies' Musical club on Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the lecture room of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church.

The subject of study will be Handel and Hadyn.

The opening number as given in the year book will be cancelled and the Rondo for two pianos by Chopin given in its place.

The steamer Garscube, wheat laden from Tacoma for the United Kingdom, passed out today from Comox after loading bunker coal.

The French cruiser Catinat, which has arrived at San Diego from Honolulu is to proceed to San Francisco,

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WILL THEY RECIPROCATE?

The Toronto Board of Trade has asked the Victoria Board of Trade to join in requesting the Dominion Government to investigate the suggested Huron-Ontario ship canal, which it is estimated will cost $45,000,000. The local board has complied. It is undoubtedly of great importance to have a waterway for ocean-going ships all the way to the head of Lake Superior. We are not in possession of much data in regard to the suggested project, but have little doubt that it is well worthy of the consideration of the Dominion government. It is in the interests of the whole of Canada that the transportation facilities of the Dominion shall be made as complete as possible. We notice that Mr. Graham, the new Minister of Railways, has announced it to be the intention of the government to expend a large amount of money in railways, for he says that everything that can be done in this line means a direct advantage to the people. This is a sound principle. Canada is a vast land, and the problem of transportation is a very serious one. The people demand railways, and they are entitled to them, and if government assistance will ensure their constructtion, it ought to be given, with, of course, such reasonable restrictions as will protect the public interest. We have not reached that stage of progress when we can afford to wait to see what will come wholly through the instrumentality of private enterprise.

The West does not oppose those great public works which the East thinks are necessary for the proper development of the country; but it has claims of its own, which it hopes will receive due consideration at the hands of the people of other parts of the Dominion. When these are brought forward, will our eastern friends be prepared to extend the same treatment to us as we freely accord to them? At present the greater part of the transportation service of the Dominion is eastbound, so far as the carriage of the products of the country is concerned; but westbound traffic is certain to increase very greatly, and that very soon. We will need greater facilities to reach the Pacific Coast than are at present afforded, or than can be afforded by lines of railway terminating on the shore of the continent. This outlying island of Vancouver, with its splendid ports practically upon the open ocean, ought, in the interests of the commerce of all Canada, to be made directly accessible by a line of railway. This is more than a mere local question. It is not simply something advanced in the interests of Victoria and Vancouver Island. It is a proposal for the general benefit. Let it be assumed that instead of a series of islands like stepping stones, a continuous land strip extended across the water at the mouth of Bute Inlet. Does any reasonable man doubt that long ago some railway company would have utilized it to build a railway to this city and the other island ports? We are sure no one does. Yet it is a fact that for all practical purposes we have what is just as good as a connecting land link. We have islands that can be connected with bridges, and in the meantime we have channels by which short ferry runs will carry railway cars from a line on the island to one on the mainland.

We think the time has come when this connection ought to be secured, and we would like to feel sure that, when the people of the island unite in a request to the Dominion Parliament to assist the construction of the necessary railway, the Board of Trade of Toronto and the boards of other eastern cities will lend us their valuable assistance. The people of this island pay very much more per capita into the treasury of the Dominion than do the people of Toronto, nevertheless they will not be found objecting to such enterprises as the suggested waterway or Mr. Graham's proposed extension of the Intercolonial to Georgian Bay. If a good case can be made out for these undertakings, our people will expect their representatives to vote for them. They will also expect eastern representative men and representative bodies to approach our great transportation problems in the same spirit.

THE LABOR QUESTION

Mr. W. G. Dennis, whom we have the pleasure of knowing personally, writes us a letter in regard to the shortage of labor, and substantially what he says is that it does not exist. It is of course possible that Mr. Dennis is an authority on this subject, but some people might infer from his method of treating it that he does not approach it with an entirely unbiassed mind. A few days ago the Colonist was discussing with the manager of an important undertaking the amount of work that would be done this year. He replied that it all depended upon the amount of labor available. He said that all the men, who offered, would be employed. He did not say anything about the rate of wages, and we did not ask him because we were not investigating the labor question, but only inquiring about a certain piece of work. It is true that persons, who might go into the employ of the people represented by the manager, would have to leave town. A day or two ago a young man, who was looking for work, was told where he could get it, but he objected that it would involve his leaving town. Men, who will not be satisfied unless they can get high wages for work in a city, will be apt to be what our correspondent rather unkindly calls "sidewalk inspectors" in any city in the world. A very great many people at one time and another have come to the Colonist asking to be directed where they could get employment in some capacity, and we do not now recall a single case which we have been able to watch, where the person seeking work did not find it. One day last spring, the president of one of the labor unions of this city was discussing the shortage of labor in the presence of a representative of the Colonist. He insisted that there were more men than there were jobs for them. One of the parties present said he wanted two men immediately to go a short distance out of town and prepare a piece of land for a crop. He was asked what wages he would pay, and he replied that he would give whatever was right, and asked the president if he could get the men, but the latter frankly replied that he could not, adding that he could only get men to work in town.

The truth of the matter is that wrong ideas have taken possession of men's mind. Almost all over the world two things are very manifest. One of them is the desire of men from the country to come into the towns and of the men in the towns to stay there; the other is the desire to work for some one else, which follows almost as a matter of course from the first, for the majority of people who live in towns must be dependent upon other people for employment. As long as this continues there will be a surplus of labor in the centres of population except under exceptional conditions. Take the great cities of Europe and America. They have armies of unemployed, but labor is scarce in rural districts everywhere. Last year, when there were long processions of unemployed in London, the English farmers were crying out for men. A gentleman recently from Winnipeg says that there are thousands of unemployed men there, yet we read that railway contractors cannot get the men they need in order to complete their contracts in time. We know that it will be said that men will work if they can get pay enough, but labor is like anything else. It may be held at too high a price, that is at a price higher than employers can afford to pay. A remedy for any surplus of labor, which exists in cities, is to be found in a larger proportion of the working population seeking work out of the cities with the view of ceasing to be wage-earners and becoming their own masters, living on their own land. If more would do this, fewer people would be out of employment when times become hard. Just now there is a money stortage and the result is that there is a reduction in building in Central Canada. This may have the effect of so curtailing the demand for lumber that the saw mills of British Columbia will be obliged to close, wholly or partially, and many logging camps may be shut down. If this is the case, there will be a good many people thrown out of work. The man, who can view such a condition with the greatest equaninity, is he who has his own farm with plenty of food in his cellar.

The presence of Orientals in British Columbia undoubtedly hurts the labor situation. White men do not care to work side by side with Hindus or other Asiatics. It may be a foolish prejudice, but we think we all have it. We decline to agree with those people who say that we cannot get along without cheap Oriental labor. Down in the State of Washington they manage to do so, and we surely are not inferior to our neighbors in this respect. As people of the British race we are surely capable of building up a country without calling in the aid of Orientals. We can assure our correspondent that we appreciate the position of labor in this country possibly quite as well as he does, although a sense of responsibility to the public prevents us from speaking with the same degree of certainty on any phase of it as some people feel able to.

Mr. Templeman told an interviewer at Winnipeg that Mr. Borden's western tour had been "an unquestionable benefit to the cause of the government." Mr. Templeman's optimism is sublime.

A discovery has just been made in Genoa which will delight all music-lovers. Fourteen of the musical compositions of Niccolo Paganini, the violinist, have come to light, all written in the maestro's own hand. Among them is the famous "B minor concerto," which astonished the musicians of his time, and, whether executed by Paganini himself or by his successor, Sivori, never failed to arouse fervent applause.

It is pleasant to be able to record that the residents at the head of Portland Canal warmly appreciate the successful efforts of the provincial government to furnish some necessary transportation facilities. Very great difficulty was experienced in building the 1,800 foot-bridge over the Bear river to the north of Stewart, but it is now complete and open for traffic and is proving a boon to all who have occasion to use it.

Workingmen who sometimes seem to run away with the delusion that "bloated corporations" never have their trials and tribulations, may observe, by a despatch from Quebec yesterday, that all is not "beer and skittles" in certain enterprises. After an expenditure of at least $150,000 in an attempt to raise the Allan liner Bavarian, which was wrecked on Wye rocks, below Quebec, the syndicate having the work in hand has sold the vessel for $65,000 as scrap iron.

For a short time, that is until the increased mechanical appliances now being installed are ready for use, the demand of advertisers upon our space makes it imperative that correspondents shall condense what they have to say into as few words as possible. We shall be obliged to take the liberty of cutting out needless sentences and expressions from letters on some occasions, and if we do so without destroying the sense of the letters, we hope correspondents will pardon our so doing.

Mr. Arthur W. McCurdy sends the Colonist a note, written on board the SS. Tees, while en route up the West Coast, in which he says that he was surprised at the very great deal of appreciation expressed by a number of passengers of the work of the Y.M.C.A., and one prominent gentleman stated his intention of subscribing liberally to the proposed building for that organization. Later he says he read the recent issue of the Colonist containing the editorial on the subject and he at once appreciated the source of the revived interest in the work. Mr. McCurdy is very earnest about the future of the Victoria Y. M. C. A., and we feel confident that others like him will, when they fully realize what the organization is doing and can do, be ready to give liberal assistance.

We feel that we are only giving voice to public opinion when we say that the city council should regard with sympathetic consideration the request of the members of the fire brigade for increased pay. In the letter which they sent to the city council on Monday evening they make out a very convincing case. We are sorry that it was deemed expedient to refer the matter to the incoming council, though the date to which action is thus deferred is not far distant. If we want good service from our fire-fighters—and it is vitally necessary that we should have it—we should pay them well. This is so generally the opinion among the ratepayers that the council would have made no mistake if they had taken favorable action.

A very interesting story comes from Scotland to the effect that in a secluded part of the Highlands a wonderful aero-plane is being constructed for the War Department. It is alleged that the inventor has hit upon what is called "an epoch-making" principle, and that when his airship is ready for flight the whole world will stand astounded. The story is told with a good deal of circumstantiality, and if it is not true, the writer of it is a romancer of the first order. He mentions names and places with a definiteness which would make exposure easy enough if there is no foundation for the tale. In substance he says that in the district mentioned a staff of men are at work under the protection of what is to all intents and purposes military law. If any strangers enter the district they are politely informed that their presence is not desired, and if they insist on remaining, they are closely watched.

By an interesting coincidence in yesterday's Colonist, in which appeared an editorial article giving the most recent information about the Mackenzie Basin there was also a Vancouver despatch giving an account of a journey made by the Countess de St. Pierre through a part of that region. Her observations, as far as the despatch went, seem to have been confined to the area of which Lesser Slave Lake is the centre. The Countess describes this area as one in which she expects to see a large, industrious and contented population, for she says there are vast areas of land there well fitted for settlement. This lake lies about 150 miles northwest of Edmonton and about the same distance east of the eastern boundary of British Columbia, that is of what we may call trans-montaine British Columbia. It is south of Peace river and corresponds in latitude with what we call Omenica. In all likelihood the valuable land, of which the Countess speaks, extends westward into this province as far as the foothills of the Rocky Mountains.

The Laurier Cabinet seems to have come under the ban of an unkind fate. We doubt if it can be shown that any other administration in the history of the country suffered in a similar period as many withdrawals from office as has occurred during the last half-dozen years in respect to the personnel of the federal ministry. It is now persistently stated that Hon. A. B. Aylesworth will resign at an early date. Genuine regret will be felt among all classes if it develops that he finds this course necessary owing to a physical disability in the shape of deafness, for which complaint he has recently undergone treatment by some of the leading specialists in the United States. A Toronto report has it that he will be succeeded by a lawyer of that city named T. C. Robinette. It can in all truthfulness be said that the federal cabinet has deteriorated to a serious extent in respect to its personnel since the famous "cabinet of provincial premiers" was formed by Sir Wilfrid Laurier when he assumed the reins of office in 1896. If the disintegrating process continues it will materially hasten the day when the people will feel that "it's time for a change."

Among the resolutions passed by the Local Council of Women at the present session is one to the effect that the government be asked to enact a law for the establishment of a juvenile court where youthful delinquents may be tried without the publicity and stigma at present attaching to public proceedings. While no one will question the motives which inspired this action, we have some doubt as to whether the time has arrived when this course is necessary. In the first place, owing to the fact that the province is but sparsely populated the percentage of juvenile offenders is very small. Then, again, the magistrates who have hitherto been called upon to try such offenders have invariably shown that they were influenced by a proper appreciation of the necessity of shielding them from all contaminating influences. At present magistrates have the power of hearing whatever cases they may choose in camera, so this would appear to meet one phase of the case as presented by the Local Council of Women. A provincial reformatory is now maintained, so that there is no fear that youthful offenders might be forced to associate with older and hardened criminals. The matter is one so important, however, that it may be discussed with profit and the Council is to be commended for having brought it prominently before the public.

LETTERS TO EDITOR

The Labor Supply.

Dear Sir—The Colonist continues to reiterate the parrot cry about the scarcity of white labor in the province. Could you and your journalistic confreres not change the tune by finding out and stating the truth? Would it not be better if your newspaper pointed out the way of salvation to the many sidewalk inspectors who are walking the streets both of Victoria and Vancouver just now? They may be invisible to the distinguished authors and journalists who take a personally conducted tour through Canada, but nevertheless they exist. If the editor would send one of his reporters round to look for a job at outside work he might learn something of the demand of labor for work as against the demand of work for labor. Look up the Colonist file for two months back and count up the number of "Situations Vacant;" after deducting "Boys Wanted" you will find they don't amount to many and are greatly exceeded by the number of "Situations Wanted." As things exist just now, men from the prairies and the Old Country are deluded by the newspaper fairy tales, come West and fail to find the employers falling on their necks as the stories led them to imagine. In Tabor, Alberta, a man was punished for defaming Canada. It ought to be an equally criminal offense to induce immigration by false pretenses, as the stories of disappointed ones must act adversely to the interests of the province. Where is the work? If the Colonist has no room in its columns to explain, it might lend its influence to press on the government the necessity of instituting a labor bureau to act as a reliable medium between the employer and the employable. The chief requisite in obtaining a white man's work is to give a white man's wage. If a white man is offered a wage commensurate with the cost of living here, the laborers are plentiful though the harvest be considerably larger than it appears to be. W. G. DENNIS.

LONGSHOREMAN FALLS AND IS BADLY HURT

Well Known Waterfront Character Now in the Jubilee Hospital

Robert Green, a longshoreman, better known as "Reddy," for years a well known character along the water front, lies at the Jubilee hospital seriously injured as the result of a fall. Green has been drinking rather heavily for the past week and early yesterday morning fell from the verandah in front of his cabin on Herald street, a distance of fifteen feet.

He managed to drag himself into his cabin and there he was found later in the day by the police who had been informed of his condition by a friend of his. Dr. Robertson, city medical officer was called in and ordered the man taken to the hospital, where it was found that he was internally injured. No bones were broken but Green is suffering from an internal hemorrhage.

For years Green, who was formerly a man-of-war-man on a United States battleship, has been a well known character along the waterfront.

BUILDING FIGURES GROW

Present Month Will Show Large Outlay—Year Will Make Record

With the month not yet half through, the aggregate value of buildings for which permits have been issued by the building inspector total in the neighborhood of $150,000. Yesterday a permit was issued for the new stables, and additions to the old stables, of the Victoria Transfer company on Broughton and Gordon streets. The cost of the work will be $22,000. F. M. Rattenbury is the architect and the Westholm Lumber company the contractors and builders. A permit has also been issued to Fred J. Holland for a frame dwelling, one and one-half stories, to be erected on Camoson street at a cost of $3,000.

The building inspector is now making his yearly round with the object of ascertaining what buildings have been erected this year up to the end of July. Prior to that time the new building regulations were not in force and no record has been kept of what buildings have been erected. When this information is obtained it will show, the building inspector claims, that the aggregate cost of the buildings put up this year will be well over the million-dollar mark, and will establish a record for Victoria.

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A carload of Iron beds is being unpacked today and we shall be ready tomorrow with some of the prettiest ideas in Iron Beds you ever seen. Fresh from the world's largest bed factory these represent the very newest and best.

NEW FURNITURE

A carload of chairs yesterday and several carloads of other lines today and the balance of this week are making the men in the receiving-room step lively. These new pieces shall be ready for you at the earliest possible moment.

NEW DINNERWARE

Dainty Late Arrivals of Decided Newness

THE LATEST ADDITION to the Dinner Service Stock is a shipment of China Dinner Services from the famous "Carlsbad" Potteries. This shipment shows three especially dainty and fetching styles of decorations on China of excellent quality. We were fortunate in being able to buy this "right,' and we are going to give you an unusual opportunity to make a decided saving on the purchase of a Dinner Service of uncommon daintiness.

You'll always find here the newest and nicest in tableware, but just at present, in view of the close approach of the Christmas season, the showing is of unusual interest to those who enjoy nice china for their table. You've no doubt been planning a new dinner service for Christmas; then there is no better time to make the selection than right now. The choice of designs and the range of prices are better now than they will be later, so we advise an early visit to these interesting China Showrooms of ours.

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DINNER SERVICE—97 pieces, dainty "Carlsbad" China. A pretty decoration of pink roses and green leaves, with a touch of gold that makes an unusualiy nice decoration. Price, per set **$16.00**

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DINNER SERVICE—Semi-porcelain, 94 pieces, white and gold decoration, an extremely neat and pleasing set, at a low price. Per set **$9.00**

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DINNER SERVICE—Semi-porcelain, 67 pieces in the Mikado decoration, a delightful combination of blue and gold. We are offering this set at a popular price. Per set **$20.00**

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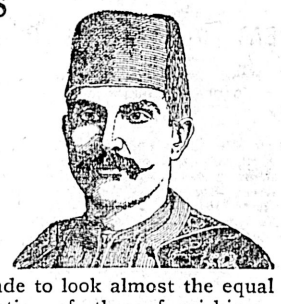

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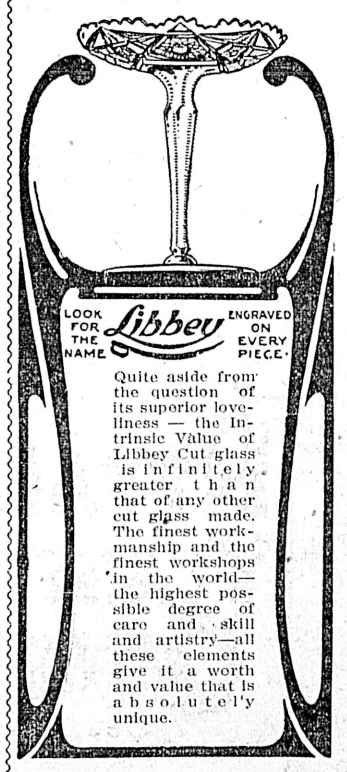

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Mainland News

VANCOUVER TO FIGHT AGAINST THE PLAGUE

Provincial Health Officer Fagan Arouses Authorities to Action

Vancouver, Nov. 12.—Provincial Health Officer Dr. C. J. Fagan appeared before the city council last night and made an earnest appeal for the strongest kind of action by the civic authorities regarding the protection of the city from invasion by the dreaded bubonic plague. Fresh from his recent trip to Seattle, in which he investigated conditions there thoroughly, he stated that the situation was such as demanded heroic measures if the province was to be kept free from infection. If such steps were not taken, as sure as there was a sun shining, it would creep in, and the public should understand what such an outcome would mean. It would include loss of life, but, in addition would mean a monetary loss which would be incalculable and might seriously retard the advance of the local prosperity. Under these circumstances the city could afford to spend much money and time in fighting against its coming. Other places had been neglectful, and what had been the results? Honolulu had allowed the disease to enter, and had expended millions to eradicate it, yet it still remained. San Francisco was suffering severely from the effects of the visitation, and there was no doubt but that it was gaining ground among the white population there. As far as Seattle was concerned, that city was resting today on a live volcano. It was not the mere fact that several persons had died from the plague, since that part of the matter was easily dealt with. But the fact that rats of Seattle were undeniably affected was a matter of most serious import inasmuch as it would require a long time to head off this source of contagion.

Locally, he was astounded to find that there appeared to be a lack of support given the health authorities in fighting the disease. The recommendations concerning the wharfage of vessels from the sound were not being observed, and in this way the city was being laid open to an invasion. Precautions of the strictest kind should be rigorously enforced, and if the vessels appeared to dispute the right of the city to enforce its edicts, the bull should be taken fairly by the horns and the captains notified to anchor their vessels out in the stream.

Under the influence of the strong words of Dr. Fagan, the council put through an emergency bylaw demanding that vessels from infected ports should be placed six feet away from the wharf, have rat guards on all hawsers, and a man stationed at the gangway to prevent rats from getting to the shore. It was also advised that precautions would be arranged by the placing of wire netting along the wharf frontage at a point below water, to prevent rats swimming to the wharfs.

GREAT NORTHERN'S PLEA

Hill Road Advances Strange Argument to Escape Paying Fine

New Westminster, Nov. 12.—Judge Cane is now engaged in the novel question of deciding when the Great Northern Railway is not the Great Northern Railway.

The question was brought up at a suit instituted here yesterday by the provincial government to force the payment of a fine of $400 imposed on the Great Northern Railway last summer for a breach of the Bush Fire Act in not providing spark arresters on the locomotives. The action has been instituted by Fire Warden W. C. Gladwin.

Attorney R. L. Reid of Vancouver appeared for the Great Northern Railway and entered a denial on all counts. He stated that that portion of the line between Vancouver and New Westminster was operated by the Vancouver, Westminster & Yukon Railway, but the prosecution maintained that the locomotives which caused the fire near Burnaby Lake were operated by the Great Northern servants. Attorney J. R. Grant of this city, appeared for the government, and asked for an adjournment to secure direct evidence as to the liability of the Great Northern company. The case was adjourned for a month.

Crippled With Rheumatism

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Mr. Derraugh certainly did have a hard time of it, winter before last. Caught cold, and it settled in his kidneys. First thing he knew, he was in bed with Rheumatism. He nearly went mad, the pain was so intense. The doctors gave him the usual treatment—and pretty nearly burnt his legs off with liniments and blisters—but the Rheumatism went right on aching.

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Grand Forks Smelter Closes.

Grand Forks, B. C., Nov. 12.—The full blast of eight furnaces at the Granby smelter has blown out and the entire plant will be closed down at once. No reason is assigned for the close down.

New Westminster Mayoralty.

New Westminster, Nov. 12.—Ald. J. Jardine, who announced only a few days ago that he would be a candidate for the Mayoralty, has retired from the field, and it looks now as though Mayor Keary would again be elected by acclamation for another term unless a dark horse puts in an appearance.

Death Was Accidental.

New Westminster, Nov. 12.—The jury which sat at the inquest on the body of James DeWitt, who was drowned at Matsqui Lake, near Abbotsford, last week, returned a verdict of accidental death, but was unable to decide whether it was due to drowning or a combination of causes.

The deceased was about 35 years of age, but was not well known at Abbotsford, having only come there to work. He is known to have a brother in Vancouver and he informed some of the men that he had a wife and several children in Perth, Scotland. The remains were buried at Abbotsford on Saturday.

Japanese Are Thankful.

Vancouver, B. C., Nov. 12.—Feeling that the sick benefit fund which has been accumulating for several years had been growing to unusual proportions through their good fortune in the beneficiaries being in extremely good health, the Japanese employes of the Pacific Coast mills, without the least solicitation, on Saturday announced to General Manager Gibson that they desired that $200 be taken from their fund and sent to the Vancouver General hospital, $50 to the Alexandra Orphanage and $50 to the Children's Aid society. As the spokesman explained to Mr. Gibson, "We simply want these institutions to receive an evidence of our thanks to Providence for sparing us from illness." The money was forwarded to the beneficiaries yesterday by G. Gibson.

PACK TRAIN IS LOST

Sudden Drop in Temperature in Alaska Kills American Government Mules

Dawson, Oct. 25.—An arrival reaching the city yesterday from Walker's Fork has brought word of the total depletion of the pack train belonging to the United States government, the string of mules that was employed during the summer in forwarding supplies to the outfit that was engaged in slashing timber along he international boundary south from the crossing of the Yukon river.

At the conclusion of the work a few weeks ago the pack train in charge of two packers left the head of Sixty-mile, where the last work of the engineers was done, for Tanana Crossing, intending to winter the stock at that point, where feed had been put up and other preparations made for housing the animals.

The train was well up the Ketchen-stock when the icy blast struck the outfit. During the night the thermometer dropped to 25 below, and the following morning half the string was dead, and the remainder almost so. Two more days finished the train with the exception of one, and he also was about ready to cash in. Mules in the snow being the poorest rustlers in the world, after nearly a foot had fallen they were all helpless in the matter of finding their own sustenance. There were over thirty head in the train.

After the collapse of the outfit, the packers returned down the Forty-mile to report the catastrophe to the proper authorities. The loss of the mules will necessitate a new bunch being shipped in next spring, as the only way of maintaining the ordinary line camps is by pack mules.

BRITISH COLUMBIA FRUIT AT DAWSON

Trial Shipment Arrives Safely in Northern Capital and Pleases Consignee

New Westminster, Nov. 12.—T. G. Earl, a veteran fruitgrower of Lytton, has made a trial shipment of apples to the Yukon, and has met with splendid success, and believes that a large quantity of fruit might be shipped north from the Fraser river valley at a profit.

Mr. Earl has received the following letter from Mr. Fysh of the government service, after his shipment had arrived, and shows how well it was received:

Department of Interior, Canada.
Dawson, Y. T., Oct. 10, 1907.

T. G. Earl, Esq., Lytton, B. C.

My dear sir,—Enclosed please find postal notes for $45 in payment of bill for apples and I can assure you they have met with unbounded satisfaction. The Snows are perfect. I took a sample of each to one of our heaviest dealers, and he said they "skinned" anything he had received from Seattle, and he had some fine looking apples, so you see what perfection you have attained in apple culture. I have not a doubt but what you will be able to place here at least a thousand boxes next season, that is, if you wish to—at prices that will surely pay you better than if sent East or to the Antipodes. He showed me his invoice and he paid from $1.90 to $3 per box in Seattle, the latter being for Spitzenbergs. I will do all I can for you, and correspond with you later in reference to them.

Thanking you again for past favors, and wishing you every success, health and prosperity.

F. A. H. FYSH.

The Norwegian steamer Elsa, from Oregon via Victoria for Shanghai, has arrived at Yokohama badly damaged by heavy weather. The deck load shifted, the bulwarks were torn away in places and it is believed that the main deck sustained some damage. The Elsa will be able to proceed to its destination without repairs.

WILL CONTINUE WORK THROUGHOUT WINTER

Consolidate Will Not Stop Operations on Yukon Hydraulic System

Dawson, Nov. 12.—The season's work upon the various enterprises of the Consolidated may be said to have ended with the departure of the last boats for the outside and during the winter about the only taing that will be doing will be the distribution of several million feet of lumber from the Twelve-mile sawmill along the route of the big flume and the placing in position of such portions of the steel siphon as have arrived.

The last to arrive is the heaviest portion of the siphon, that is to cross the Klondyke, the steel being over a half inch thick, and capable of withstanding an enormous pressure. Of the total amount of pipe required for the three siphons that will have to be used, about 80 per cent has arrived.

Of the dredge material yet to come for the Consolidated, there are still over four hundred tons due. The late consignments have not as yet all been checked up, but it is believed by the management enough material is here to complete two of the four new machines upon which construction was begun this summer. They will be finished in the spring before the water runs, and will be ready for work as soon as the weather will permit.

The same conditions are largely true of the three electrical elevators that are to be installed upon Bonanza. The management was in hopes enough material would arrive for one of the new machines before the close of the sluicinging season so that it could be set up and a test made as to its efficiency, the apparatus being somewhat entirely new and never before utilized but in this a disappointment was met. There is enough material here now for one of the elevators but it is a question if all the electrical apparatus needed has arrived. However, it is believed that whatever in the latter line may be missing from the original order, such can be supplied from other sources so that one of them will be ready to do ing season so that it could be set

The old dredges that have been working this season, two on 104, and one on 90, Bonanza, were closed down and the ladders lifted on October 13.

Texada Mine Is Sold

Vancouver, B .C., Nov. 12.—H. W. Treat has sold the Cornell mine on Texada Island to G. L. Tanzer, a well known mining man of Seattle. Immediately upon obtaining possession of the mine Tanzier turned it over to the Texada Consolidated Mines, together with eight other claims known as the Raven Creek group, on the same island, for which $42,500 was paid some time ago.

The Cornell mine is one of the best known of the many mines on Texada Island. The mine has hardly been worked. The 2,000 feet of tunnelling already done in the mine has made it apparent that the copper has but been touched.

MUSIC AND DRAMA

The New Grand.

The splendid show being given this week at the New Grand to crowded houses nightly fully justifies the opinion expressed by Mr. Jamieson in his advance notices that it would prove one of the best ever given in the house, as it was the most expensive. Four of the turns would be headlines on any bill, and that the management has been able to combine them all on one programme is fortunate for the patrons, who are furnished with an unusual treat in the way of amusement and entertainment. The Nelson-Farnum comedy acrobatic act is one of the best yet. The two men furnish the comedy along with remarkably clever acrobatic stunts and the two girls are no less clever in their work the almost inconceivably rapid roll of "flip-flaps" by one of the girls at the close of the act being about the best thing in the turn. Herbert Brenon and Helen Downing present one of the neatest and daintiest as well as one of the best acted comedy playlets that has been seen in a long time. It is by Will M. Cressy and is entitled "One Christmas Eve." Mr. Brenon and Miss Downing have been producing this sketch for about two years, and have appeared two and sometimes three weeks each in Hammerstein's Victoria theatre. Percy William's New York theatres, Keith and Proctor's New York theatres, and in fact in every first class vaudeville house in the east. The act was also an unqualified success at the Palace theatre in London, playing there for twelve consecutive weeks. The sketch is a refreshing story which entails some delightful comedy situations interspersed with some excellent dialogue which is well taken care of by the clever artists. Felix Adler has all the dialect singing comedians beat who have appeared here and makes a great hit at every show. His Italian song is the best. Howard and DeSeon, equilibrists, have also a fine turn, both being exceptionally clever performers in their line. Claria Dare is a good singing comedienne and is well received in a number of songs. Thomas J. Price is singing the illustrated song "And a Little Child Shall Lead Them," and confirms the good impression made on his opening week, and a couple of very funny moving pictures close the show.

Pantages Theatre.

Two large houses greeted the opening for the week last night at the Johnson street theatre, and to put it plainly, it would be difficult to find a programme with a combination of more novelty, comedy and refinement than the one that is presented this week. It is one of those entertainments that keeps everybody interested from start to finish. Every number is good and every performer likewise in their particular line. Hayes and Allpoint, who might be termed the long and short of it, appear in an Oriental turn which is extremely funny, "The Clerk and the Bell Boy." Mr. Hayes is a tall gentleman and Mr. Allpoint a dwarf, but what the latter lacks in length is made up for in ability, their act differs so very much from other comedy acts that it can only be described as strictly novel and original. Their Chinese dance is immense, and the dwarf's burlesque on a "lady equestrian" substituting a sofa for a horse, is side-splitting and created great amusement for everybody. The team is certainly a clever one and a decided hit. McGee and Collins, as sketch artists, are above the ordinary and present an amusing skit in a colored highball. Mr. McGee's negro dialect is perfection and his eccentric dancing pleases well. Sadie Reynolds sings some pretty songs and gives recitations which were well received. The Fishers, father and little daughter, in their beautiful spectacular contortion act, we might be safe in stating is really worth the price of admission. The performance of Baby Fisher is really marvelous and with the pretty stage settings and mechanical effects that are intorduced makes this act one of the prettiest and most interesting that we have seen and one that no one should fail to see. Tommy LaRose has a pretty song this week, "The Evening by the Moonlight, Dear Louise," and is beautifully illustrated. The Pantagescope has a series of very amusing pictures, which makes of a programme that is worthy of patronage and should play to capacity houses all week.

"The Sunny Side of Broadway."

The eminent comedians, Murray and Mack, in a magnificent scenic production of the successful musical comedy, "The Sunny Side of Broadway," is the announced attraction for Thursday evening next at the Victoria theatre and the local manager assures us that he has secured this organization in its entirety from its successful run in New York. The company is composed of some forty players, each of whom has made a reputation for him or herself during the run of the piece. Of the stars, little need be said, their unique personality, their grotesque acting, the inimitable manner in which they render their songs, the awkward graceful steps, with which they dance, all go towards making their performance one of the most pleasing and enjoyable on the stage. Of the play itself, much has been said, suffice that it is a vehicle for the introduction of catchy music, artistic marches, splendid choruses and groupings and picture posings, the likes of which has never been seen in musical comedy before.

The forty people have been selected for their adaptability to properly portray the several characters which have been assigned to them.

Tilly Olson on Friday.

"Tilly Olson" is the name of a comedy of Swedish-American life that will be given here at the Victoria theatre Friday evening next. The piece has been constructd to give due prominence to the characteristics of the fair sex of Scandinavia in marked contrast to the usual type of Swedish drama wherein the central figure has always been of the opposite sex. "Tilly Olson" is not a caricature of Swedish feminine character, but rather, a dainty and effective story of the struggles and fortunes of a young girl, thrown upon the world at an early age, and through force of circumstances obliged to serve as a menial amid uncongenial surroundings, until right triumphed and she regained what rightfully was hers. The first and second acts of the play are laid in a farming district of Minnesota, the third and fourth acts are laid in the city of Minneapolis. Some realistic scenic effects have been prepared and the scenery has all been painted by the well known scenic artists of the Broadway theatre, New York, Messrs. Moses and Hamilton. A strong and capable company will appear in the play and the title role will be played by Miss Aimee Common, one of the best eccentric comediennes on the American stage. "Tilly Olson" will doubtless become a strong favorite with playgoers here, if out of town reports are to be credited. A special feature of the performance will be the appearance of Master Jack Rollin, one of the most talented of juvenile actors. He will have a prominent part in the play.

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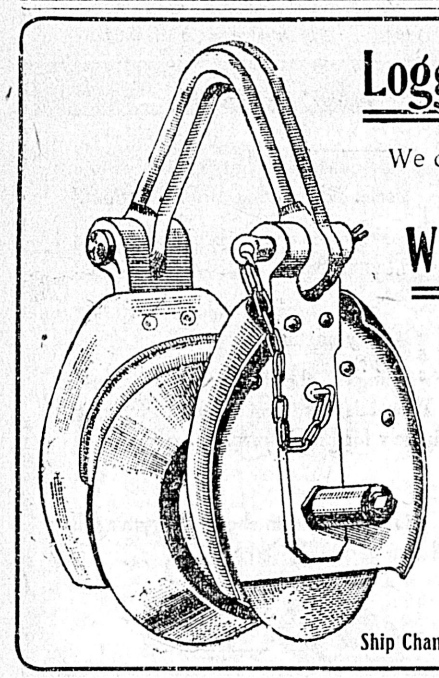

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SCALDED BY ASPHALT

Young Workman Injured at the Cooley Galvanizing Iron Works Yesterday

While throwing asphalt into the melting pot at Cooley's galvanizing Iron Works, on Kingston street, William Cox, an employee of the works, was so severely burned about the face that his instant removal to St. Joseph's hospital was found imperative. It was the lad's work to tend the melting pot in which the asphalt is prepared. He had been warned against accidents but apparently he threw too much of the material into the pot at once, and the molten contents flew up into his face. He was seriously burned though the hospital authorities state that he is not dangerously injured. The lad is a son of Capt. William Cox, 136 Quadra street.

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NEWS OF THE CITY

Sergeants Will Meet

The annual meeting of the sergeants' mess will be held this evening in the mess rooms at the armouries. The financial report for the year will be rendered. "Walkingout dress" is the clothes order of the day.

Odd Fellows' Entertainment.

Newton Beers, the dramatic impersonator, under the auspices of Dominion Lodge, No. 4, I. O. O. F., will characterize in monologue, his fraternal play, "David and Jonathan," tomorrow evening, in the I. O. O. F. hall. In all fourteen characters are taken. The evening promises to be a success.

Wild Japanese Cook.

Because he took offense against the denizen of a Chatham street resort, a Japanese named Matsuohita, cook on the sealer Orion, cut loose last night and before he finished he had broken most of the windows at No. 5 Chatham street. He was finally coraled and later handed over to the police. He will come up for hearing before Magistrate Jay at this morning's session of the police court.

Will Be Floated This Morning

News received late this morning states that the Indravalli will be floated at high tide this morning. The Salvor is standing by and her pumps have been placed upon the stranded liner. The liner when floated will be brought to Esquimalt for repairs. The vessel went stem on and is only on by the head. She is making water in the forepeak but otherwise is sound. She is resting easily as there is little wind or sea running.

South African Experiences

The general secretary of the Y. M. C. A., A. J. Brace, will lecture on Saturday evening next upon "Thrilling Experiences in South Africa." The popular lectures on Saturday evenings are being largely attended. The last lecture, "The Voice in Speech and Song," by William Dobson, proved a great success. Messrs. Shandley and Griffiths and the Y. M. C. A. quartette rendered several selections. Mr. Brace has delivered the account of his South African experiences over 200 times. It has not grown hackneyed, however, but is of great interest.

CHRYSANTHEMUM SHOW

The Programme That Will Be Presented at Carnegie Library Tomorrow Evening

The following programme will be rendered tomorrow evening at the chrysanthemum show in the Carnegie Library building:

Song ..... Mrs. Goward
Piano solo ..... Miss Alice Briggs
Song ..... Mr. Dowler
Piano solo ..... Miss Phyllis Keene
Song ..... R. A. C. Grant
Songs ..... Miss Kittie Wallace
Song ..... Mrs. J. D. Helmcken
Song ..... Mrs. Kent
Violin solo ..... Miss R. Sylvester
Song ..... Miss Scowcroft
Song ..... Miss M. Hall

The proceeds of the show go to aid the Protestant Orphanage.

ALL EYES ARE NOW ON B. C.

Theatrical Man Says Easterners Are Beginning to Realize Island's Possibilities

Richard Lambert, business manager of Sarah Truax, who is to present "The Spider's Web" under the management of John Cort at the Victoria theatre Wednesday, November 27, arrived in the city last night after a tour through the northeast.

Mr. Lambert speaks enthusiastically of the resources and opportunities of Western Canada, and especially of British Columbia, seeing a great future for this province. He says the great resources of this province are now becoming known to eastern capitalists, many of whom will doubtless interest themselves in the development of this, the furthest west. Since his last visit to Victoria a year ago he says the change is marked, and he predicts that on the completion of the new transcontinental roadway will commence the foundation of a development, the extent of which is beyond the dreams of the greatest optimist.

It is fifteen years since Mr. Lambert first visited Victoria, and year by year he has watched the changing conditions, the progress in the last year or so being in marked contrast to conditions previous to that time.

MUSICAL EXAMINATIONS

Pupils of Miss Smith Are Presented With Certificates of Proficiency

The pupils of Miss S. F. Smith, A. T. C. M., were presented with certificates of proficiency in their various musical studies, on Saturday last at the new studio at "Seaview," Dallas road. Rev. Canon Beanlands commended each recipient for their good work under Miss Smith. The examiner, Mr. Fairclough, F. R. C. O., came specially from Toronto for the purpose, and the pupils and teacher were highly elated at their success. The following are the names of the successful candidates:

Primary—Ivan Hawksley, Florence V. Miles, Hace Terry, Ethel Waxstock.

First year course—Alice Muriset Mabel Irvine, Mabel Booz, Alice Robelee.

Second year course—Lillian Haggerty.

Second year rudiments — Marie George.

This makes 16 pupils of Miss S. F. Smith who have passed examinations of the Toronto College of Music.

GIVEN EIGHT DAYS IN WHICH TO MOVE HOUSES

Process of Destroying Unsanitary Buildings Still Continues

In chambers yesterday, Mr. Justice Irving gave Mr. Crease, acting for A. Gray, eight days in which to remove the objectionable buildings owned by him from Johnson street. Mr. Crease evinced a desire for the city to do the work, saying that it was hard to get men. Mr. Mann, however, who appeared for the city, preferred that Mr. Gray should do the work himself. Accordingly the order was made.

At the request of the city solicitor the hearing was adjourned till Monday with the idea of keeping the matter alive in court until all the owners have redeemed their promises to remove buildings which have been condemned as unsanitary.

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CHILDREN OF LUNATIC MUST GIVE SECURITY

Mr. Justice Irving Delivers Judgment on Simpson Application

Mr. Justice Irving has recently held that security must be given before an order can be given committing the property of a lunatic not so found to the management of his son and daughter. The decision is based on the English practice. The text of the judgment is as follows:

In the supreme court of British Columbia. Re Simpson, a lunatic not so found. Judgment of the Honorable Mr. Justice Irving.

Mr. Luxton applies under section 27 of our Lunacy act for an order committing the management of the property of a lunatic not so found to his son and daughter without security. Our section 27 is section 116 of the Imperial Statute, with a slight alteration.

The practice in England seems to be to require security: see Elmer, p. 210.

In the appendix I observe that in nearly all cases the order contains a provision that a security shall be made.

In a foot note to Order 7, attention is called to the fact that neither undertaking nor security was referred to in the order.

I infer from the fact that the learned author has seen fit to annex that note that the usual course is to require an undertaking and security.

The fact that there is a close relationship between the applicant and the lunatic seems to make no difference: see Form 14, where in the matter of a spinster, the applicant, a sister and the next of kin to the said lunatic, was required to give an undertaking and security. And again, a brother in Form 15. Form 16 is even more in point. There the application was made by the wife, a son and two daughters of the lunatic, and an undertaking and security were ordered.

The practice under section 116 follows the rules relating to lunatics so found: Pope, 230., and the rule in these cases seems to require security unless there are special reasons shewn: Pope, p. 124; Enc. of Eng. Law, vol. 5, p. 63. An undertaking is generally required when security not taken.

I see no reason for dispensing with the usual undertaking and security in this case.

OBITUARY NOTICES

The remains of the late David Moore who died at his residence, Powderly avenue, Victoria West, Sunday evening, were forwarded Monday evening to San Francisco by steamer City of Pueblo, for interment.

An impressive service was held at 4 p. m. at the parlors of the British Columbia Funeral company, 1016 Government street, conducted by Rev. C. E. Cooper, and was attended by a large number of friends.

The late Mr. Moore was an Englishman by birth, being born in Oldham, Lancashire, 74 years ago, and recently came to this city from San Francisco, and purchased a home in Victoria West, where he and his widow resided until the time of his death. The deceased was in apparent good health until the end, being carried off suddenly with heart disease.

THE WEATHER

Meteorological office, Victoria, B. C., at 8 p. m., November 12, 1907.

SYNOPSIS.

The barometer remains high to the northward and fine weather continues with moderate winds along the coast. The weather is fine east of the Rockies and has been decidedly cold from Manitoba to the Mississippi valley.

TEMPERATURE.

	Min.	Max.
Victoria, B. C.	38	50
Vancouver	34	44
New Westminster	36	48
Kamloops	34	40
Barkerville	22	26
Fort Simpson	..	..
Atlin	18	30
Dawson, Y. T.	2 below	2
Calgary	28	32
Winnipeg, Man.	12	36
Portland, Ore.	42	58
San Francisco, Cal.	50	64

FORECASTS.

For 24 hours from 5 a. m. (Pacific Time) Wednesday:

Victoria and vicinity: Light or moderate winds, generally fair, not much change in temperature.

Lower Mainland: Light or moderate winds, generally fair, not much change in temperature.

TUESDAY.

Highest	50
Lowest	38
Mean	44

Rain, none; sunshine, 3 hours 12 minutes.

TIDE TABLE

Victoria, November, 1907.

Date	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time	Ht
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4	2 10	6.9	7.27	5.2	13 22	8.4	20 22	3.2
5	3 05	7.2	8 05	5.6	13 44	8.7	20 56	2.5
6	3 59	7.5	8 41	6.2	14 08	8.9	21 37	1.8
7	5 03	7.7	9 19	6.7	14 33	9.1	22 22	1.3
8	6 16	7.9	10 02	7.3	14 58	9.1	23 11	1.0
9	7 42	8.1	10 55	7.8	15 24	9.0	.....	
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18	3 27	7.1	7 08	6.2	12 45	8.8	20 26	2.6
19	4 40	7.4	7 52	6.8	13 06	9.0	21 03	2.0
20	5 45	7.7	8 30	7.4	13 29	9.1	21 42	1.7
21	6 56	7.9	9 01	7.8	13 48	9.0	22 21	1.5
22	.....		.....		14 01	8.9	22 59	1.6
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The height is in feet and tenths of a foot above the average level of the lowest low water in each month of the year. This is half a foot lower than the Datum to which the soundings on the Admiralty chart of Victoria harbor are reduced.

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PROVINCE TO ASSERT RIGHT TO FISHERIES

Cannerymen Waiting on Chief Commissioner of Fisheries Today

From all appearances the struggle between the Provincial and Dominion governments for the control of the fisheries of the province is about to begin. The cannerymen are preparing for trouble in any event.

A delegation from the cannerymen of the province arrived last evening from Vancouver and joined by a delegation from this city they will wait on Hon. W. J. Bowser, chief commissioner of fisheries, today, to consult with him with regard to the regulations and measures to be placed in force by the provincial government.

It is thought that the cannerymen will make a number of suggestions and will endeavor to sound the government to see just what steps it purposes taking.

The provincial government, it has long been known, is determined to exercise its jurisdiction over the fisheries, and is the first of the provinces to take advantage of the decision of the privy council in 1898, which establishes the fact that the provinces have certain rights which have been infringed by the Dominion government.

A fishery act was passed by British Columbia in 1901, but it was only given effect last year. Some months ago the government followed this up by appointing Hon. W. J. Bowser chief commissioner of fisheries, and the latter immediately took action in the Cowichan bay lease matter, informing the lessees under the grant from the Dominion government that the province would seize their gear in the event of their undertaking to operate under it.

Just what steps will be taken by the provincial government at the present juncture is unknown, but it is understood that the provincial rights in this matter will be firmly asserted.

It is not believed that the province will interfere, or attempt to interfere with the Dominion government's control of deep sea fisheries, but will confine its attention to the coast industries.

Considerable dissatisfaction has been felt with the Dominion department for the manner in which it has dealt with the fisheries of the province and much of the blame for the ruin of the salmon fisheries of the Fraser has been laid at their door.

With the fisheries in the control of the local government, measures to check ravages, it is believed, would be undertaken and some agreement with the state of Washington for the preserving of the Puget Sound industry effected.

Hon. William Templeman, while in the city was approached by a delegation of the canners who asked for certain reforms in the event of the fisheries remaining under the control of the Dominion government, but it is believed that the canners would be better suited were the provincial government to assume and exercise sole control over the great provincial source of wealth.

CONTROL CENTERED IN PROVINCIAL POLICE

All Licensing Districts North of Fiftieth Parallel Abolished by Government

Practically all the licensing districts north of the 50th parallel of latitude with the exception of Atlin will be cancelled by the provincial government. Licenses hereafter will be issued by the superintendent of provincial police under the terms of the act.

This important decision made at the instance of Hon. W. J. Bowser, attorney-general, has been taken in view of the great influx of population which will take place to the unorganized districts of the north with the commencement of construction work by the Grand Trunk Pacific. With the power of granting and revoking licenses in the hands of the provincial police it will be much easier to enforce the law in the above districts and to regulate the liquor traffic.

With separate boards in different parts of the country there was great difficulty in controlling the hotel licenses in the unorganized districts so that Hon. Mr. Bowser recommended the executive to cancel the Skeena and Omineca licenses and that portion of the Barkerville district from the Yellow Head pass along the proposed line of the G. T. P. to the northern portion of the province as well as all districts along the north coast including the islands, above the 50th parallel of latitude including the north end of Vancouver island with the sole exception of Atlin licensing district.

All this territory will be controlled by Superintendent Hussey of the provincial police.

The centering of the control in this manner it is felt will assist in the administration of justice as where the police are cognisant of abuses existing renewals will be refused. The local boards will immediately be done away with as the measure will take effect immediately. The balance of the term which the present licenses have to run will be under the control of Superintendent Hussey. The books of the local boards will be turned in to this city.

By this measure the licenses in such centres as Prince Rupert, Port Simpson, etc., will be controlled from here removing the issuing of them from local influence and concentrating all in the hands of the police.

The measure is important especially in order that efficient policing of the railway construction gangs may be effected.

Pharmaceutical Council

The regular semi-annual meeting of the British Columbia pharmaceutical council of British Columbia was held in this city last evening. The business was entirely of a routine nature, a number of applications for certificates being received.

The following were in attendance: R. P. Burns, Armstrong, B. C., president; E. Netherby, Vancouver, vice-president; J. W. Brown, Vancouver, secretary; and the following members of the council: J. H. Embury, John Cochrane, Victoria; W. Hamilton and E. S. Knowlton, Vancouver.

ADDITIONAL SPORT

ARCTIC BROTHERHOOD TO COME TO VICTORIA

Eighth Annual Grand Camp of the Order to Be Held Here Next Year

The eighth annual session of the grand camp of the Actic Brotherhood will be held in Victoria next autumn. San Francisco tried hard for it, but Victoria was successful, and will thus have the honor of entertaining the grand camp for the first time.

The Arctic Brotherhood is in many respects a unique order, and among its minor peculiarities are the facts that no camp of the order can be established outside of the Yukon Territory or Alaska, but yet the annual grand camp is almost invariably held outside of the northern territory. It was held in Tacoma this year, it will be held here next year and in Seattle in 1909, the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exhibition year.

The order derives its origin from a frolic designed to while away the hours of a tiresome sea voyage. It was during the early Klondyke rush that a number of gold seekers on one of the Seattle boats got up a humorous secret order with a josh initiation, the entrance fees and fines being devoted to providing refreshments. After awhile it was suggested to make the order a permanent one and a camp was organized in Skagway while they were waiting to go northwards. It was not long vefore another camp was organized in Dawson, and fresh camps were started as new towns sprang up until today there are camps in practically every settlement of any size in the Yukon Territory and Alaska. It was decided to keep the order a northern one, and by the constitution no camp can be started outside of that territory. As, however, a large proportion of Alaskans winter outside the country the annual grand camp is held at an outside point in the fall, usually in Seattle or some adjacent city.

The order is an international one, the motto being, "No boundary line here," and its emblem includes the Union Jack and the Stars and Stripes intertwined. Since the great development of American Alaska, the majority of the camps and the members are American, but the same spirit prevails still.

In the frozen north the order is not merely an excuse for jollification or an opportunity for its married members to get an evening off. Among the obligations are that no member shall start a brother on a wild goose stampede, but that what information he chooses to give shall be true. Alaskans who have participated in some of those heartbreaking excursions will realize what this means. Another obligation is that of succoring any brother in distress on account of weather or temporary lack of food. During the first winter that Nome saw, and climatically one of the most terrible she is ever likely to see there were many lives lost. Unfortunate miners overtaken by the storm with tired dogs and short of food but too often pertshed. But not one Arctic brother was lost. No sooner did the news come to town that a brother was stormbound, and such news came several times, the best dog team that money could procure was immediately pressed into the service and a relief expedition sent out. Many a life was thus saved, and the Arctic Brotherhood bears an honored name in the north.

In the selection of officers at the recent grand camp at Tacoma, Thomas Bruce, of Seattle, recently of Dawson, had little or no opposition for grand Arctic chief, the official head of the brotherhood, the full list of officers elected being as follows:

Grand Arctic chief, Thomas Bruce, of Seattle.

Vice-grand Arctic chief, Richard Mansfield White, Seattle.

Grand Arctic recorder, Col. Godfrey Chelander, Skagway, now in Seattle.

Grand Arctic chaplain, Dr. Willis E. Everette, Dawson.

Grand Arctic keeper of nuggets, Carl M. Johansen, Eagle.

Grand Arctic trail guide, G. R. Short, Chena.

Grand Arctic trail blazer, Valdemar Georgeson, Sitka.

Grand Arctic camp cook, D. Smith Harris, Ketchikan.

Grand Arctic keeper inner toll gate, F. H. Mobley, Discovery, B. C.

Grand Arctic keeper outer toll gate, Dr. E. A. Burns, Seattle.

Grand Arctic trustees, Dr. I. N. Moore, Skagway; James Arden, Dawson; J. N. Wilcoxen, Skagway; J. Koleman, Cleary; J. C. Green, Rampart.

Following his appointment the new grand Arctic chief announced the following standing committees:

Auditing—W. R. Hanlan, Sitka; S. A. Kellar, Council; Harry Landahl, Dawson. Appeals, credentials and grievances, C. S. Hannum, San Francisco, recently of Nome; Thomas Alexander, Cleary; H. A. Weld, Dawson; C. Dempsey, Council; George Woodruff, Eagule. Constitution, bylaws and ritual, Dr. W. E. Everette, Tacoma; Gov. Alexander Henderson, Dawson; Weston Coyney, Dawson; Judge C. S. Hannum, J. L. Green, Rampart.

Grand Arctic Chief Bruce also appointed the following deputy grand Arctic chiefs to serve for the following year, their appointment taking effect today: Dr. W. E. Everette, Dawson camp, No. 4, deputy grand Arctic chief at large for Alaska and the Yukon territory; James Rogers, for the Tanana district; Judge C. S. Hannum, for the Seward peninsula district. Maj. J. F. A. Strong, for the district of Catalla; Hon. Thomas Quinn, for the district of Valde and Copper Centre; M. S. Whittles, of Skagway, for southeastern Alaska; H. F. Taunun, of Rampart, for Rampart district; J. S. Cowan, for the Dawson district and the Yukon river country.

The following visiting committees were appointed by the Grand Arctic chief, the innovation newly inaugurated by Mr. Bruce: For Seattle, W. H. Bard, of Nome and Seattle; F. W. Clayton and A. F. Edwards, both of Dawson. For Tacoma, W. A. Sternberg, A. H. McKay, Rudolf Kelenborn, all of Tacoma, but recently of Alaska. Visiting committees will also be appointed at Portland, Victoria, Vancouver and San Francisco. It will be the business of these committees to look out for the welfare of visiting members of the brotherhood in the cities mentioned.

Miss Dodd Doing Well

Miss Lottie Dodd, the victim of the attempt on her life, made by Samuel Tota on Sunday evening, is reported as making satisfactory progress at the St. Joseph's hospital. It is hoped by the physicians that the wounds upon her face and neck made by Tota's razor will quickly heal and that she will not be badly scarred.

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FIGHT AGAINST RATS AND FILTH CONTINUES

Comparatively Few Rodents Delivered to City—Chinatown Dirt Attacked

"There are 29 rats in this pail. I will come again."

The above ungrammatical but pointed legend yesterday pinned upon the door of the sanitary inspector's office, indicates that the crusade against the offending rodent is still being waged with unabated vigor. Beside the door was the pail with the dead rats piled therein. The reporter did not stop to count the carcasses, to see whether the tally was correct but that duty will be performed by James Wilson, who in his dual capacity of official rat catcher and sanitary inspector is at present kept busy. What with looking after the work of cleaning up Chinatown and "counting tails" he is kept going at high pressure.

Just what progress is being made in the rat killing campaign does not appear certain. Up to date between 600 and 700 rats have been delivered at Mr. Wilson's office and paid for at the rate of 50 cents per dozen. There is no doubt that many of those who, in helping out the city's fight against the rats, have killed many of them, have failed to apply for the bonus. But the vast army of rats appears to be still as numerous as ever. The city dump on the flats is simply swarming with the rodents. Yesterday within ten minutes fifty rats were literally pitch-forked by an individual who, for his trouble, made good money from the city.

Seattle has been paying 60 cents per dozen for dead rats, and it has been suggested by some local wag that the reason the number delivered to the sanitary inspector here has been so comparatively small is because a "trust" has been formed to ship the carcasses to the Sound City to take advantage in the higher rates prevailing there.

"I've got back fourteen years," said Sanitary Inspector Wilson yesterday, in discussing the cleaning up process now being undertaken in Chinatown. "The further I go the worse it gets."

Mr. Wilson stated that the condition of that section of the city was far worse than he had imagined or could at first sight be realized. The filth has been accumulating for years and he and his six assistants have been kept busy to make any appreciable inroad on the old time collection of filth. The work is going ahead with expedition and Chinatown will soon, he asserts, not know itself.

LIFE AND HISTORY OF THE LATE JOSEPH HOWE

Subject of an Address by Rev. W. Leslie Clay Before St. Andrew's Literary Society.

"The Life and Work of Joseph Howe" was the subject of an address by Rev. W. L. Clay, delivered Monday evening to the Young People's Literary society of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, the occasion being their monthly literary meeting.

He traced the career of the Nova Scotian statesman. He began with his work as a journalist, sketching his career as editor of the Nova Scotian, from 1827 to 1835, culminating in the famous trial for libel based upon an article written by him in the Scotian charging the magistrates of Halifax with malfeasance and corruption in office. No lawyer in Halifax would undertake his defense, so he read up criminal libel for a few hours and undertook his own defence, only to find that by the law of the period he could adduce no evidence as to the truth of his convictions, nor could he plead "in the public interest," while "the greater the truth the greater the libel" still held good. Though the judge charged strongly against him, he was acquitted.

He then turned his attention to politics, and from then until 1848 strove for responsible government, finally obtaining it. After this he began to work for the fulfillment of the recommendation of Lord Durham, which favored the building of a railway from Quebec to Halifax. Though not at first successful, he was elected chairman of a local government board which built the first railways in Nova Scotia which were government owned.

Mr. Clay, in continuing, dealt with the stand of Howe on Confederation. He exonerated Sir Charles Tupper of the charge that he had slighted Howe at the convocation of the Prince Edward Island conference when maritime confederation was discussed. Howe was invited to attend, but did not accept, as he held the office of fisheries commissioner from the imperial government.

He later attended the Quebec conference, returning to Nova Scotia to head the anti-confederation section in the province. After at length finding that the imperial government would not quash the bill offered them, he joined Sir John's cabinet. Later he returned home as lieutenant-governor of Nova Scotia, to die six months later.

Practice is Postponed

The regular practice of the Victoria amateur orchestra will not be held this evening as usual owing to the illness of Benedict Bantly.

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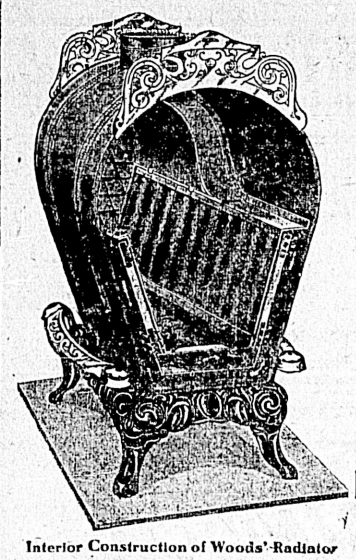

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WOMEN'S COUNCIL HAS CONCLUDED ITS WORK

Final Session of the Annual Meeting Held Yesterday Afternoon

The thirteenth annual meeting of the Local Council of Women for Victoria and Vancouver island was brought to a conclusion yesterday morning, in every way a success.

The session opened yesterday morning with silent prayer. Seventy delegates answered to the roll call. The following reports of affiliated societies were next heard: The report of the Ladies' Aid society of Centennial Methodist church, the Victoria literary society, the Women's Christian Temperance union, the Young Woman's Christian association, the Chinese Girls' home, the Aged Women's home, the Alexandra club, the Christian Aid of Duncan's, Ladies' Musical club and the Anti-Tuberculosis society.

The reports were as follows:

Centennial Ladies' Aid.

Madam President: On behalf of the Ladies' Aid society of the Centennial Methodist church, I beg to report a fairly successful year's work.

The principal objects of our society are: The assisting of the pastor in his work of visitation; to raise funds to help in the maintenance of the furnishings of the church and parsonage, and to generally assist the trustees in such ways as our funds permit us.

Our regular meetings are held at the homes of the members on the fourth Wednesday of each month, and after our more serious business is concluded, we are socially entertained by our hostess.

Our funds are raised by voluntary contributions at these meetings, supplemented by socials, sales of work, lectures, etc., and we have been enabled by these means during the past year to contribute in no small measure to the well-being of our church.

I regret that owing to severe illness in the home of our president, that she is unable to be with us, and I beg to respectfully submit this short report in substitution of a more detailed one that you would have received from her.

M. MILLS, Secretary.

Victoria Literary Society

The Victoria Literary society is entering on its 13th annual session with a membership of twelve.

To become a member your name must be personally vouched for by one of the members and balloted for in the usual way. Only persons of literary tastes may become members. This society was originally one of the National Reading Circles and had a membership of forty with Archdeacon Scriven as president. After five years it was found necessary to sever connection with this body owing to difficulty of obtaining books on account of distance.

We take Shakespeare every winter and any other author we choose. This year we commence with Romeo and Juliet, and Emerson's Essay on Friendship. Each member is to contribute some selection from author or poet chosen for its beauty of form or sentiment.

We have lost a valued member in the late Mrs. J.H.S. Sweet, who was a most intellectual woman, always taking a keen interest in our meetings and being of most valuable assistance to us by her wit and remarkable memory for facts.

Y. W. C. A. Executive

Madame President and Ladies—The executive committee of the Y. W. C. A. beg to submit the following report:

There being no organization in Victoria to take an interest in young women, particularly those away from home and earning their living in this city, at a meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Y. W. C. A. held last February, it was deemed advisable to reorganize the Y. M. C. A. in this city.

The preamble of the constitution of which reads as follows:

"Actuated by a desire to stimulate interest in the religious development of young women in the city and vicinity and to improve intellectual, social and physical conditions for them by means of an association of young women, we hereby adopt the following constitution," and more fully sets forth the work and objects of the association.

We were fortunate in having the assistance of Mrs. A. M. Fraser of Winnipeg at that time in Victoria, a lady much interested in the work, and who very kindly donated the sum of $100 with which to begin.

A board of directors numbering eighteen, was formed from those interested, and from these, the officers for the current year were selected.

Two rooms were rented on Fort street, but after six months, we found we must seek larger quarters, and on September moved into the commodious quarters we now occupy on Government street.

Our membership is divided into two classes; viz., associate and sustaining. We have one hundred and fifty-eight associate members who pay $1 a year each, and who are entitled to all the privileges of the association, but have no voice in the management. The sustaining members, numbering eighty-seven, contribute 50 cents a month each. In addition, we have received quite a number of subscriptions from ladies and business men.

The Y. M. C. A. work should be too well known to require much explanation, but it will not be our place to mention a few features:

We aim at making the various departments as nearly as possible self sustaining. The lunch room is well patronized, we serve twenty to twenty-five lunches a day, and we would here remind our friends that for 25 cents they can get quite a nice meal. An employment bureau is also carried on and we have been successful in procuring situations for quite a number of girls principally strangers.

During the summer we had a visit from Miss Susie Little, B. A., general secretary for the Dominion; she gave us a great deal of useful information, and strongly recommended starting afternoon and evening classes at once, it having been found to be one of the most successful features of association work. Accordingly arrangements have been made to form classes in domestic science, needlework, singing, music, physical culture and other branches and competent teachers have been engaged.

A folder has been prepared, a copy of which will be placed in your hands by our secretary, Mrs. Niven.

We want the co-operation of the Woman's Council and friends particularly in influencing those with whom they come in contact, as the work in a great many cases is a personal one, young women have to be invited to come and join us.

Many people seem to think that there is no necessity for such an institution. If they only knew the numbers who come to our rooms seeking information and advice, and who always find a friend willing to be of any assistance in her power. Indeed, the first question asked by many strange girls coming to the city is, "where is the Y. W. C. A.?" We, therefore, appeal to the women of Victoria to help and support us in the work, we have many friends, but need you all, and there is nothing that should come home to us more than an institution that, next to the church of God, is the best friend of the girl away from home.

H. S. FORMAN,
President.

Chinese Girls' Rescue Home.

The work of the Chinese Girls' Rescue Home is supported by the W. M. S. of the Methodist Church of Canada. At present four workers are employed, two Canadian workers, a Japanese and a Chinese.

The work has several departments, rescue, educational and evangelistic, and is under the supervision of an advisory board, consisting of five ladies of our city and the resident teachers. The advisory meets once in three months for transaction of business and reading of reports, but can be called at any time for consultation about the work.

During the year there have been two cases of rescue (being mother and child). In addition to this eleven Japanese women have found shelter in the home, while being detained in the city by the immigration officials.

During the year we have had over fifty Japanese weddings in the home.

In the school we have thirty names on the roll with an average attendance for the last month of twenty-five.

Our three evangelists visit every afternoon in the homes of the Chinese and Japanese not only in our own city but in Vancouver, New Westminster, Steveston, Ladners and Nanaimo.

Aged Women's Home.

Madam President and Ladies.—There is little new to report in connection with this institution. The work which is carried on for the aged women goes steadily on. At present there are eighteen of these in the Home and quite recently the committee regret to have been compelled to refuse admission to several other worthy applicants owing to the lack of accommodation.

It is now about ten years since the Home was organized and in that time between 40 and 50 aged and infirm women have been comfortably cared for within its doors.

The question how is it maintained is invariably asked and here it might be well to state that there are several ways from which the revenue is derived. First those depending on the city for support are paid for by the municipality. Second, the province pays for those sent there by the government, and at present six or seven of the 18 inmates are paying all or part as the case may be of their own maintenance. In some cases a lump sum is given us, others pay board and one or two have donated their property to the home in lieu of their maintainence there for life. At present we are collecting small rentals from four houses thus obtained.

Besides the above a large amount is received in donations of cash and useful commodities from the generous friends of the institution in the city and suburbs.

The question of ways and means, however, is often quite serious, as the price of fuel and provisions has increased so much during the past year. During the year ending March 31, the expenditure was about $3,000.

We are now compelled to have a nurse constantly in attendance as there are several bedridden and helpless ones needing such care.

The question of a new brick building containing some 40 or 50 rooms is now being urgently considered by the management. The proposition seems enormous but the needs of the many worthy women seeking admission, the majority of whom are in indigent circumstances, and sadly in need of such a home, through no fault of their own, seems to warrant this step and judging from the invariable success of their past efforts the committee are sanguine of its ultimate accomplishment.

They take this opportunity of enlisting the sympathy of those assembled here in this laudable work of caring for their aged and infirm women.

L. R. GOULD,
Hon. Secy.-Treas.

Alexandra Club

The Alexandra club has pleasure in reporting an extension of premises and an increased membership roll since last year.

With the increase of population, and the constant advent of new residents the uses of a Ladies' club became more and more apparent and, though the present objects of the club are chiefly of a social nature we hope, as funds and opportunities arise, to become the centre of much educational and useful effort. Already our literary society meets twice a month during the winter, and have this season presented a most interesting programme.

Thanks to the energy of our librarian, the library in connection with the club is becoming by degrees more complete, and we have had, towards this special department, some valuable donations.

The members of the club exercise frequently their special privilege of introducing visitors to the club as guests during their sojourn in Victoria, and we find this attention much appreciated, and are glad to have such a pleasant means, both of entertaining our friends, and of introducing strangers and extending to them a welcome in our midst.

The members of the Alexandra club are being especially interested in the movement undertaken by the Local Council towards the erection of a Woman's building in Victoria, and hope to see, before long, some definite steps taken towards the accomplishment of this most commendable project.

Christian Aid, Duncan's.

Our society is non-denominational. It was first organized for the purpose of promoting sociability amongst the ladies of different denominations, and has developed into a charitable society. We aim at assisting the needy in our own locality when the opportunity presents itself, and when there is no such demand we turn our attention to some charitable institution, hence we do not have much to give anywhere, yet our society aims to lend a helping hand to the needy either locally or wherever we can.

We have during the last year been able to assist by sewing an invalid member, who through being set aside, was unable to keep her sewing done; others who were unable to secure help and a widow left with a large family of small children.

Ladies' Musical Club.

The Ladies' Musical club, which was organized in January, 1906, has now entered upon its second season with a largely increased membership list and added interest in its work.

The objects of this delightful club are to develop the musical talent of its members and to stimulate musical interest in Victoria and the success which has attended the efforts made in these directions amply justify its existence.

Concerts are held at intervals of three weeks when carefully selected numbers are given from the best masters. The programme committee have combined the works of one of the masters of song with one of those of instrumental music at each concert, thus: Chopin and Schubert, Handel and Haydn, Beethoven and Brahms, are respectively associated, so as to give charming variety, and yet still be within the range of classical music while to please those who prefer the more modern masters two miscellaneous concerts are given during the season.

Th aim of the society is to create a taste for the best music by presenting it in an attractive manner, and in this way to encourage the younger members of the club to study only the highest, that, lack of appreciation for "rag-time" may eventually confine it to where it justly belongs.

Local Anti-Tuberculosis Society.

The report of the Victoria branch of the Anti-Tuberculosis Society was presented by Mrs. Rocke Robertson, as follows:

Madame President and Ladies:—Since last year, when I had the honor of presenting to you the work done by the Anti-Tuberculosis Society, the scheme then I may say still in its embryonic state, has developed into a practical working fact, as the hospital at Tranquille, on Kamloops Lake, is now, or will be in a few days, open for patients. The larger building consists of 11 bedrooms, 1 sitting room, kitchen with pantries, and one small room for matron. A smaller building consists of 5 rooms upstairs and three downstairs, both buildings being equipped with broad verandahs, lavatories and all things necessary, large fireplaces, etc. to render the place comfortable and attractive. Much of the furnishings bought by the Anti-Tuberculosis Society at the naval sale at Esquimalt has been sent to Tranquille and has been an immense help to the equipment. The Society lately had to purchase sheets, but there still remains a need for more and I now appeal to the ladies assembled here today to make good the needed number. If a sufficient number of ladies will each give one pair of single sheets, the hospital will be supplied with its requisite quota. I might say that there is now on sale at Spencer's a good quality of single sheets at $1.00 per pair, usually $1.50 per pair, and if the ladies will agree to allow some one to make the purchase, they will all be sent at one time direct from Spencer's and this will relieve the Society of a large bill and not fall on any one lady very oppressively. I desire to impress upon everyone the necessity of unremittant work in increasing the maintenance fund, for now that the hospital has appointed the medical superintendent, Dr. Irving, and a matron, Miss Mathers, of Kamloops, who are now at Tranquille, arranging the staff and getting the houses prepared for occupancy this week or next, the disbursements of the maintenance fund will steadily go on and must be met. Our dear fellow citizens who have fallen victims to this terrible scourge must be maintained, and they consist chiefly of our young women and young men who can be saved if they get the requisite treatment, dry, fresh air, rest and nourishment, and let it never be said of our British Columbia Sanitarium, as I am sorry to say has been the case in one in the East, that it had to be closed "for want of funds." A friend of mine, writing from the famed sanitarium at Saranac Lake, N.Y., the largest and best equipped sanitarium on this continent and one making remarkable cures, says: "I think the country and situation of Tranquille is preferable to this and I will venture to prophesy that before very long the fame of our institution will draw so many patients to its door that it will be practically self-supporting. Until that day arrives, or until the governments of the various provinces, or better still, the Dominion government, takes over the care of Tuberculosis as it has of diseased minds, we must do our share in supporting this beneficent institution. I am unable to give you any statistics as to the present amount of the maintenance fund, as Dr. Fagan has not returned yet from Tranquille, but I might say that during the last three years a number of persons afflicted with tuberculosis have been assisted, their sufferings palliated and their last days made more comfortable. A committee of ladies from the society see after these sad cases. Let me commit the needs of the Tranquill Hospital to the kind hearts of the women of Victoria, who have always been so tenderly and promptly responsive to the cry of suffering, remembering that in saving others we are saving our own sons and daughters from the most-to-be-dreaded—because the most widely disseminated of all diseases—tuberculosis."

The urgent appeal for sheets for the sanitarium of Tranquille was met with a very spontaneous response from the floor—many ladies pledging themselves to contribute according to their means.

Rev. W. T. Gladstone spoke a few encouraging words. Rev. W. Baugh Allen was also present.

Dr. Fagan handed in the following report:

Anti-Tuberculosis Society

October 31, 1907.

Ladies and Gentlemen—Your committee appointed at a meeting on July 24, and consisting of Dr. Stephen, Mr. March Gordon and Dr. C. J. Fagan, beg to report as follows:

On August 13 we visited Tranquille and after consultation and further consideration of the terms of the option taken from Mr. William Fortune, we paid over to Mr. Fortune the first payment of $25,000. This was done in his lawyer's office and in the presence of the full committee. It was then stated that the deeds for this property and the details as to conditions of option would be thoroughly examined into, and when all matters were found to be in order and deeds satisfactory to our legal adviser, then a mortgage for $32,000 would be executed.

The Committee decided to take with them an architect from Vancouver, and selected Mr. Dalton. Mr Dalton very kindly tendered his services free of cost, and on or about August 17, visited Tranquille with your committee. The different houses were inspected and certain suggestions made and subsequently Mr. Dalton submitted his plans.

On September 6 Dr. Fagan went to Tranquille to superintend the changes proposed to be made in the building, and the disinfection and cleaning of the same. He remained there from above date until October 22, and with the concurrence of the committee the following changes were made:

The verandah of the larger house was extended so as to be a ten-foot verandah. The sitting room was also extended by adding two more rooms and building in it an open fire place. All paper was removed from walls with two exceptions, and the house was thoroughly washed many times, and disinfected in such a way that it is morally certain to be now free from contamination. All carpets, rugs, curtains and other matter of a like nature have been removed, and it is regretted that it was considered absolutely necessary to destroy by burning most of such material.

The walls of the entire building on the inside are painted with three coats of paint, consisting of one coat of varnish and two coats of lead and oil. The floors are to be stained and waxed and the new work on the outside is to receive one coat of white paint. This building consists of eleven bed rooms, one sitting room, one dining room, one

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COLLY HILL PITTED AGAINST CLEVER BOXER

Local Featherweight Will Meet Bob Ritchie at Owls Concert Tomorrow

Local sporting authorities who have watched Bob Ritchie work out for his bout with Colly Hill at the Owls' concert on Thursday evening in the A.O.U.W. hall, say that the boy has the earmarks of the thoroughbred and predict a clean, fast and scientific ten-round go when he meets Colly Hill, who is easily the peer of the local boxers between 120 and 130 pounds in weight. Hill is now in better condition than he has been for several years and says he is ready for a great contest.

Much interest centres around Lynn White, the young Australian welter, who is to box Tom Fifield, of Vancouver. Both the boys are due today, and as both are always in fighting trim they will not have to do much training. White came over from Australia scon after Bill Squires. He was offered a match with Joe Thomas, but the California boy is ten to fifteen pounds heavier than White, so the Australian refused, at least until he could try his metal with some of the lesser stars more of his own weight. He had several matches, losing only one, and that to a heavier boxer. Fifield, his opponent, has been training for some weeks at the Vancouver Athletic club, and is fast and clever. He has his reputation yet to make and hopes to drive the first peg here. Con Jones, of Vancouver, a boxing authority of note in the Terminal City, says Fifield is one of the most promising welters on the coast.

With Billy Hill and Vinson and a sailor's bout in addition to two wrestling numbers, the concert programme is an unusually heavy one, and there should be a packed house. Hicks, the Tacoma middleweight, will likely officiate as referee of one of the bouts, while local men will be in charge of the others. The seats continue to sell rapidly and the wise ones will secure their cards today for tomorrow night's contests and avoid disappointment. The seat plan is at the Poodle Dog cafe.

TO REVIEW BRITISH COLUMBIA LEAGUE

Victoria Rugby Club Wants to Reorganize Provincial Series This Season

An effort is to be made by the Victoria rugby club to revive the old British Columbia rugby league which has been dormant for the past couple of seasons. The McKechnie cup used to be the trophy for which the teams in the old league competed along with the championship, and it is believed that the present time is propitious for a revival of the organization.

With this end in view W. H. P. Sweeney, secretary of the Victoria rugby club, has written to the secretary of the Vancouver Rugby club suggesting that arrangements be made for a meeting to reorganize the league again Victoria, Nanaimo and Vancouver would make a splendid three-cornered league. Strong teams can be gathered together in each place, and the popular sport would undergo a big boom if a league of the kind could be started once more. The Victoria club is prepared to give its best assistance towards the resurrection of the league and the officers of the local organization are confident that they will meet with a favorable response from the Vancouver club.

The next game in the local series, between the Victoria club and the James Bay Athletic association, is scheduled for Saturday, Nov. 30. The Victoria club has now two victories to its credit and should they win this third game the series will be at an end as the championship goes to the winner of the best three in five games.

BASKETBALL MEETING

The city basketball league will be organized at a meeting to be held at the Y. M. C. A. this evening when representatives of the Fifth regiment, James Bay Athletic association, Y. M. C. A., Victoria West Athletic association, North Ward school, Shamrock Basketball club and other local clubs will be in attendance. Three series will be formed comprising senior, intermediates and juniors and it is expected that there will be at least four teams in each group. The meeting is called for 8 o'clock.

Y. M. C. A. Football Meeting

All playing members of the Y. M. C. A. association football team are requested to meet at the gymnasium, Y. M. C. A. rooms, tonight at 7.30.

Always Advance the Ball

One very noticeable feature about Inter-Provincial football is the quickness with which the eastern teams have picked up the good points of the western players and vice versa. The back line play of both Tigers and Argonauts found its way to Montreal ranks, then to Ottawa. And on the fine, the western teams have likewise adopted the methods of Ottawa and Montreal. The run of play has also been conspicuous for the complete elimination of useless sprinting across the field and running back. In old Quebec Union days it was common to see a half back making a half moon around the field, eventually being pulled up for a 20-yard loss. In the modern game the ball is either advanced by running, punting, or bucking, always straight ahead. Failing in this, the ball carrier drops with it rather than run back.—Ottawa Free Press.

SHEARWATER AND BAYS TO PLAY AT OAK BAY

Grounds Arranged for Next Saturday's Game in Victoria Football League

The return soccer game between the James Bay Athletic association and H. M. S. Shearwater in the Victoria District league series will take place at Oak Bay next Saturday afternoon. The committee yesterday decided that the big game should be played on the same ground as the previous match instead of at Work Point where the naval men desired to go. The game should easily attract the largest attendance of the season. The teams are so evenly mated that there is little to choose between them and the supporters of both are counting upon victory. The Shearwater will have out a stronger team than on the last occasion when they met the Bays and they are very confident of winning. The Bays have yet to meet the team able to take their measure this season and having beaten the Shearwater once are certain they can do it again. Anyway it goes the game will be a splendid exhibition of association football and if the day is fine there should be a great crowd at Oak Bay.

The game between the Garrison and Esquimalt will be played at Work Point barracks and as it is the home game of the Esquimalt team the latter players will have to change their colors. The Y. M. C. A. and Fifth regiment will play at Beacon Hill. The referees for the games have not yet been decided upon but it is likely that A. Rutherford will have charge of the big game of the day at Oak Bay.

Marsh and Shrubb Again

Winnipeg, Nov. 12.—Arrangements have been completed for a 15-mile race, scratch race, between Alf Shrubb, the English champion, and John Marsh of St. Norbert, Man., to come off on Wednesday evening at the Arena rink. Shrubb's ankle is better and a great race is anticipated. Up to the present Marsh is the favorite.

STRICT AMATEURS FOR OLYMPIC CONTESTS

Canadian Amateur Athletic Union's Definition of an Amateur Will Be Observed

Toronto, Nov. 12.—Secretary Crowe, of the Canadian Amateur Athletic Union, has issued the following notice: "The attention of all amateur athletes in Canada, whether members of bodies affiliated with the union or not, is directed to the following definition of an amateur as set forth in the British Olympic council and governing qualifications for the competition at the Olympic games in 1908 in London:

"An amateur is one who has never competed for a money prize or monetary consideration or any declared wager or any staked bet, who has never engaged or taught any athletic exercises as a means of pecuniary gain and who has never taken any part in any competition with anyone who is not an amateur."

HOCKEY SEASON OPENS WITH DOUBLEHEADER

Seattle Will Play Victoria and Nanaimo Ladies the Locals on Dec. 7

The schedule of games for the British Columbia hockey league has been decided upon by the executive. The season will open on November 30 in Vancouver when the champion Garrison team will play there. The following Saturday, December 7, the local season will be inaugurated with a double header, Seattle playing Victoria at Oak Bay, in a league game, and the Victoria ladies playing the Nanaimo ladies. Altogether 12 games will take place, each team playing six.

An official board of referees, consisting of G. Melhuish, of Vancouver, J. Hart, of Victoria, and Maj. Williams, of the Garrison, has been appointed to handle all the games. The following amendment has been made to rule 22 of the English Hockey association: "That a referee shall have power to rule any player off the field for a time not exceeding ten minutes or for the whole time at his discretion."

The schedule of games is as follows:

Nov. 30—Garrison vs. Vancouver, at Vancouver; referee, J. Hart.

Dec. 7.—Seattle vs. Victoria, at Victoria; referee, Maj. Williams.

Dec. 14—Garrison vs. Victoria, at Victoria; referee, G. Mulhuish.

Dec., 21—Seattle vs. Vancouver, at Seattle; referee, J. Hart.

Dec. 28—Garrison vs. Seattle, at Garrison; referee, G. Melhuish.

Jan. 4—Victoria vs. Vancouver, at Vancouver; referee, Maj. Williams.

Jan. 18—Seattle vs. Garrison, at Victoria; referee, G Melhuish.

Jan. 25—Vancouver vs. Victoria, at Victoria; referee, Maj. Williams.

Feb. 1—Victoria vs. Garrison, at Garrison; referee, G Helhuish.

Feb. 15—Vancouver vs. Garrison, at Garrison; referee, J. Hart.

Feb. 22—Victoria vs. Seattle, at Seattle; referee, Maj. Williams.

Feb. 29—Vancouver vs. Seattle, at Vancouver; referee, J. Hart.

The Garrison-Seattle game of Jan. 18 will be played in Seattle if the Garrison is permitted to leave Canada.

BRITISH COLUMBIA AMATEUR ASSOCIATION

Strong Probability That a New Athletic Union Will Be Organized

It looks very much as though the proposed new British Columbia Amateur Athletic association will become a live organization as the result of the meeting to be held in Vancouver on the last day of the present month. Sporting organizations all over the province have been communicated with and will be represented at the gathering. Both the Y. M. C. A. and the James Bay Athletic association of this city will have delegates there. The following is the letter which has been received from the committee in charge of the movement:

Dear Sir,—At an informal meeting of delegates from local organizations held in Vancouver it was decided that the time is now ripe for the formation of a B. C. A. A. A.

This decision was arrived at because the line between amateurs and professionals has never been clearly defined in this province and because of the action of the C. A. A. U. recently professionalized a number of prominent athletes.

Accordingly, the following resolution was passed by that meeting:

"In the opinion of this informal meeting a British Columbia Amateur Athletic association should be formed and that a provisional committee of three be appointed to draft a letter to be sent to the various athletic organizations throughout the province requesting them to send a delegate to a general meeting to be held in the Badminton hotel on the afternoon of Saturday, Nov. 30, at 2.30 p.m., who shall be in receipt of instructions from the association he represents, to enter into the formation of such a union."

Your association is, therefore, requested to send a delegate with instructions as to the following points:

1. The formation of a B. C. A. A. A. to control amateur athletics.
2. Which amateur sports are to be controlled by that association.
3. The definition of an amateur.
4. The question of affiliation with other governing bodies.

As the question of amateur athletics has become one of such vital importance in the province it is earnestly requested that you send a delegate or at least appoint a local man to represent your views.

W. ELLIS,
Secretary V. D. A. Football league.
W. G. GOWAN,
Brocton Point A. A. A.
J. G. DAVIDSON, Ph. D.
McGill University College.
HUGH JAMIESON,
Sporting editor of the World, Vancouver, secretary of committee.

Berkeley Full Back Injured

San Francisco, Nov. 12.—Ralph Butler, fullback for California in the intercollegiate game on Saturday, lies in a Berkeley hospital in a very serious condition. He has two broken ribs and his kidneys are dangerously affected as the result of a kick received during the progress of the game.

USE CANADIAN GLOVES

Tommy Burns Objects to English Mits For Moir Fight

London, Nov. 12.—Moir and Burns have settled all the details of the forthcoming championship fight. Burns objected to Moir's gloves, and it was decided that Moir should have a pair made similar to those of the Canadian. Both fighters were introduced to the members of the National Sporting Club. Burns thanked them for the cordial reception. He said he was here to see the Old Country, and give Moir an opportunity of winning the world's championship. He hoped the club would give him a square deal; he would then be satisfied.

WILL DROP ABERDEEN FROM NORTHWESTERN

Helena Will Replace Champion Town in Baseball Circuit Next Year

Tacoma, Nov. 12.—It is now assured almost beyond question of a doubt that the 1908 circuit in the Northwestern baseball league will be made us as follows: Tacoma, Seattle, Vancouver, B. C., Spokane, Butte and Helena. Aberdeen, which won the 1907 pennant, will be dropped and Helena taken in to replace the Grays Harbor city.

That the Montana city will be in the league is a certainty. In a letter to the Butte newspapers Russ Hall, owner of the Butte franchise and a member of the circuit committee, together with George Shreeder of Tacoma and Edward Dugdale of Seattle, acknowledged this. Hall was not speaking without authority. He knows the plans of the committee. Besides, Charlie Shaffer, better known as "Pull 'Em Up" Shaffer, who captained the Seattle nine for a time last season, has been in Helena since the close of the season working up interest in baseball. Shaffer will likely manage the Helena team next year.

Another sign which bears out the conclusion that Helena will be the sixth city in the league is the contemplated visit to the Montana town by Shreeder and Hall on their return from the East. If these members of the circuit committee find that Helena can offer a suitable location for a ball park they will vote the town into the league. As they are acting for Dugdale of Seattle, the third member of the committee, their recommendation will hardly be overlooked by the other magnates when they meet later in the year to determine the circuit.

Vancouver, which quit the league in a huff a month ago, will nevertheless be represented again, not by the same association, however. It has been decided that Bob Brown, manager of the Aberdeen club last year, shall transfer his team to the British Columbia city next season. Vancouver is one of the best baseball towns in the entire Northwest and a winning team there next year will mean money to the owners of the franchise. Brown has demonstrated that he knows how to gather a winning team.

The most successful season the Northwestern league ever experienced was in 1902, when the circuit was made up of Seattle, Tacoma, Portland, Spokane, Butte and Helena. This arrangement gave three cities on the other side of the mountains and three cities on the other side of the hills. The expense of the long jump is said to have been more than made up by the series in the three towns on the other side of the mountains.

None of the four teams on the coast ever made better than expenses when they went to Spokane and Butte last season. They just about broke even. The managers were always of the opinion that a second town in Montana would help them out. Interest in baseball in Helena is keen and the fans are willing to pay 50 cents to see a good game, such as teams in the Northwestern league would afford.

While Aberdeen had a pennant-winning team last season, the city was never able to pay the expenses of the visiting teams. The Black Cat management made some money on the season because the nine was a good drawing card away from home.

Since the publication of the letter from Russ Hall to the effect that Helena is considered favorably by the Northwestern magnates, Mike Lynch, captain of the Tacoma Tigers, is positive that the circuit next year will be made up as specified above.

"All hope that Portland will join the Northwestern league has been lost the National association refused to reduce the league to a Class B organization," said Captain Lynch yesterday. "The loss of Portland means a different arrangement of the circuit. Since Russ Hall has said that Helena is looked on with favor, I cannot see any other circuit than that which will include Seattle, Vancouver and Tacoma on this side of the mountains, and Spokane, Butte and Helena on the other side. Shreader and Hall are members of the circuit committee, and they expect to visit Helena upon their return from the East. If everything is found satisfactory, Helena will be assured of a berth in the Northwestern league at that time."

Captain Lynch believes that the quality of baseball in the league next year will be infinitely better than the past season. He has great respect for Hall's aggregation and predicts that Butte will win the pennant if Hall succeeds in finding a man to take Bell's place in the field, and a good shortstop.

"Hall has now the best pitching staff in the league," said Lynch. "It is doubtful whether any other club in the circuit can get a bunch of twirlers who can beat Garvin, Roosevelt, Hoon, Samuels and Thomas. From all reports this man Thomas is a world-beater. Every team will have to strengthen to beat out Butte next year."

LOCAL DOGS TO SHOW

Vancouver, Nov. 12.—If any of the local dogs win at the Fox Terrier Show which is to be held at the Vancouver Athletic club next Thursday, it won't be for want of competition. George Florence, of Victoria, is bringing his two champions, "Coversea Speedy," and "Revcley" besides several others. The Bellew Kennels, of Seattle, are sending the best they have, among them being "Warren Rovish," "Bellew's Belle," a daughter of the famous "Sabine Result," "Uno Capo," "Sabine Renown" and "Bellew's Guard." P. Hesaler, of Seattle, is sending that grand dog, "Fancy Mark." L. C. Ackerman, of Inenby Park, California, has entered two wirehaired terriers, namely "Humberstone Record" and "Humberstone Hope" with which he hopes to make a record.

It looks as if that Grand Challenge cup, kindly donated by Henry Birks, Limited, for the best terrier in the show and for which many of the local breeders have already built a shelf may find a resting place elsewhere. There is no doubt that the action of local men in importing dogs from England has had a good effect. A gentleman in Seattle fearing his kennel is not strong enough to beat the dogs we have here has especially imported one from the "Sabine Kennels" of Orange, Texas, kennels that are famous all over the world, one of their dogs being imported by George Roper, the renowned judge and fox terrier fancier of London, England, though he was forced to keep the dog in quarantine for six months according to the stringent rules of the Old Country. Therefore the best the world can produce in fox terriers will be on exhibition next Thursday.

CONTRACT JUMPERS OUT

Expelled Forever From Participation in Organized Ball

One of the largest lists of players ever declared ineligible by the National Association of Professional League Baseball clubs was effected by the adoption of a resolution of which J. P. O'Rourke of Bridgeport, Conn., was the author, at the meeting of the minor leagues at New York last week.

Twenty-two players in all were adjudged guilty of contract jumping, and forever barred from playing with any clubs of the association, excepting those of the Tri-State league. The Tri-State league was excepted from the provisions of the measure on account of the agreement by which it came into the association. The players affected were as follows:

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Bressler	Williamsport	Phila. (N)
Ward	Altoona	Boston (N.)
Badel	Johnstown	Buffalo
Crolius	Lancaster	Toronto
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C. Deininger	Altoona	Toledo
Marshall	Johnstown	Utica
Foster	Harrisburg	Newark
Wiggs	Altoona	Toledo

Bill Blackbourne Leaves City

Bill Blackbourne, the local baseball and football player, left on Sunday for an extended trip to the interior, paying a flying visit to Seattle first. Bill will be absent all winter, but may return next spring if the city gets on the baseball map. He intends to break into professional ball somewhere next season, but would like to start in here if possible.

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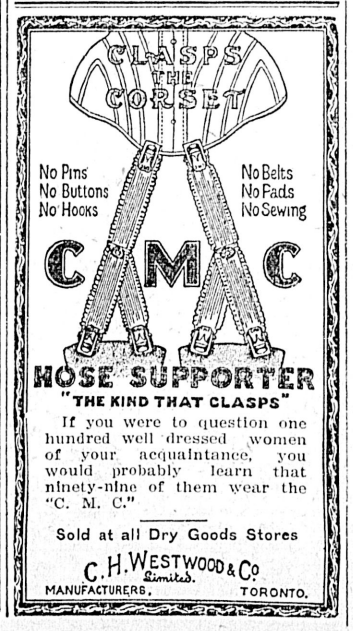

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On the Waterfront

INDRAVELLI FAST ON KELLETT ROCK

Drove Ashore With Bow Among Trees and Two Holds Are Filled With Water

SALVOR GOES TO SCENE

Big Freighter Passed Quarantine Station and Had No Pilot on Board

The 4,899 ton steam freighter Indravelli, 30 days from Shimonoseki, Japan, for Vancouver, under charter to the Alley line for the Canadian-New Zealand route, replacing the Kazembe, early yesterday morning, during the fog, ran ashore on Henry island, at the corner of Kellett bluff, the sheer rocky headland where H.M.S. Amphion struck in 1892. The steamer entered the Straits in the early part of Monday evening and omitted the required call at William Head quarantine station, proceeding also without picking up a Vancouver pilot as vessels bound to the mainland usually do at this port. Rounding from the Straits of Juan de Fuca and into Haro Strait to pass as usual through the channel between Darcey island and Kellett bluff which is usually approached close, being bold and sheer, with deep water right to the face of the headland, the Indravelli stood too far to the eastward with a result that she brought up with a crash with her bow close against the trees at the corner of Kellett bluff where Henry island opens at Open bay.

The steamer struck at six o'clock yesterday morning when running at full speed, about ten knots an hour, in the fog. She drove hard up against the rocks. Capt. Cullington was not aware of local conditions and did not know of the necessity of making a call at William Head quarantine station. He was proceeding to Vancouver, having passed up about 2 a.m., and not knowing the strong eastward set had been carried too far in that direction with the result that the steamer brought up with a heavy crash against the shores of Kellett bluff before he was aware of his danger. The stem post was broken away and the stem driven back about six feet by the force of the collision with the bold shoreline of rock, and the forward plates were penetrated. Water flooded into the foreward hold and soundings showed a depth of nine feet. Only the foreward part of the vessel is fast, the after part of the hull from the foremast being borne by the water freely.

The steamer Salvor, of the B.C. Salvage company and the tug Pioneer, of the Puget Sound Tugboat company both left this port yesterday afternoon to go to the assistance of the stranded vessel, and when the steamer Princess Victoria passed near the face of Kellett bluff at 5 p.m. on her way from Vancouver, these two vessels and another, which looked like the steamer Maude in the darkness, were standing by.

The steamer Salvor went alongside the wrecked steamer soon after dark and commenced putting wrecking pumps on board. Several centrifugal pumps, each capable of throwing 500 tons of water an hour, were placed in the vessel, and it is expected that Diver McHardie, of the B.C. Salvage company, will make a descent this morning to commence the work of plugging the holes. Although the position of the Indravelli is seemingly worse than that of the sugar steamer Twickenham which went on the San Juan island, it is expected the wreckers will succeed in floating her. The Twickenham was lying near the face of the rocks, with her bow held, the rocks penetrating her hull a little further aft than the collision bulkhead. She was floated by the steamer Salvor and repaired in the dry dock at Esquimalt.

The steamer Indravelli will not in any case be able to secure the dock for eight or nine days, as the steamer Kazembe, which struck on a boulder near Siwash rock, when seeking an anchorage at English bay on her way into Vancouver on Saturday night, has the dock for Monday next, following the steamer Tartar. A contract was made by the local agents of the Kazembe yesterday with the superintendent of the dry dock. The repairs to the Kazembe will probably occupy four or five days at least.

Kellett bluff, Henry island, where the Indravelli struck, lies about a mile beyond the international boundary, to the northeast of San Juan island and about northeast by east of Darcey island which for years was a lazaretto for Chinese lepers and on which one still remains. It is a remarkably steep rocky headland, and vessels run quite close to it ordinary. There are, however, some rugged boulders near the headland and off Open Bay to the eastward at the end of Henry island. When the Indravelli arrived there on Monday night it was very foggy, and the master, without a pilot to aid him and no local knowledge other than charts and sailing directions, doubtless miscalculated his distance when following the directions as laid down, namely: "After rounding Discovery island steer N N W ¼ W, or for Kellett bluff, a remarkably steep rocky headland. In working up, when standing westward, tack when the northwest extreme of Low Island comes in line with the southeast point of Sidney island, which will give the Zero rock a good berth; but when approaching the Kelp reefs, (which were recently marked with a beacon) Bare island must be kept well open eastward of the same point to avoid them. When abreast Kellett bluff, at from half a mile to one distant, a N W by N course will pass the same distance from Turn point of Stuart Island. There are no known dangers off this point (Kellett bluff); but whirling eddies and tide ripplings, caused by the meeting of the streams from so many channels, are generally met with, particularly on the ebb."

Kellett bluff, scene of the disaster to the Indravelli, was where H. M. S. Amphion struck with considerable damage to the cruiser which was carrying the then Governor General, Lord Stanley and Lady Stanley, to Vancouver. Lying on the greensward at Beacon hill is a section of the keel of the Amphion folded like a closed concertina which illustrates the manner in which the vessel's bottom was damaged. The cruiser struck heavily and for a time considerable excitement prevailed. Lady Stanley distinguished herself by getting off to the shore and making a photograph of the stranded vessel. After the vessel was floated, making water quickly, collision mats were placed in position and the pumps were kept busy, while Capt. Hulton, after consultation with Lieut. Warrinder, the navigating lieutenant, decided to take a gambler's chance. They figured the distance to Esquimalt carefully at full speed, and computed the inflow of water, the capacity of the pumps, and found the warship could just make the run at all speed. It was decided to run the risk and while the water flowed in rapidly, gaining gradually on the pumps, the Amphion steamed with several hundred men on board at full speed, at risk, to Esquimalt. The vessel arrived just in time to avoid foundering. It was estimated that she had five minutes to spare when the dock gates closed upon her.

Capt. Hulton, with the lives of several hundred men at stake, breathed freely when the gates of the dock closed upon the vessel. It is on record that Capt. Healy, of the United States ship Bear, asked: "Didn't you feel easier when the vessel was in dock?" and Capt. Hulton said: "I did not care to hold conversation with anyone, but felt like hurrying to my cabin to give thanks to the Almighty upon my bended knee."

The steamer Twickenham, which brought a cargo of sugar from four ports of Java for Vancouver stranded within two miles of where the Indravelli now lies, and was saved by the British Columbia Salvage company's steamer Salvor, and brought to the dry dock at Esquimalt for repairs. The Esquimalt company earned salvage amounting to over $25,000 for floating the vessel. The Twickenham grounded during fog when on her way from this port to Vancouver.

Capt. J. G. Cox, Lloyd's agent left here on the steamer Salvor yesterday afternoon, and a special despatch from the Colonist's Vancouver correspondent says T. G. Mitchell, Lloyd's surveyor who had gone to Vancouver owing to the accident to the Kazembe, and A. H. B. MacGowan, M.P.P., agent of Alley line, charterers of the steamer, left at midnight for the stranded vessel on the steamer Bermuda.

The Indravelli is well known here, having run into this port when operated from Portland in the Portland and Asiatic line some years ago.

The Indravelli is a steel screw steamer of 4899 tons gross, 3152 tons net, with two steel decks and deep framing, built in 1897 by C. Connell & Co., of Glasgow, for the Indra Line, Limited, (T. B. Royden, manager), and is 400 feet, 49.2 feet beam, and 28.3 feet deep. She was engined by D. Rowan & Co., of Glasgow.

It is expected that the steamer Kaga Maru, due today, will bring the first shipment of Japanese oranges brought this season.

The steamer Queen City for Rivers Inlet and way ports will leave tonight at 8 p. m.

SEALING SCHOONERS ESCAPE BEING SEIZED

Dora Sieward Boarded and Has Close Call—Given Benefit of Doubt

The sealing schooners Dora Sieward and Ida Etta, while in Bering sea, had narrow escapes from seizure by the United States auxiliary cruiser Buffalo, according to the crew of the former vessel, which has returned from her cruise with 477 pelts. Capt. W. Heater of the Dora Sieward was sent for by the captain of the Buffalo after the navigating lieutenant of the warship and a boat's crew had boarded the sealing schooner to the northwest of the Pribyloff islands in September, and, after three trips between schooner and warship and several hours of discussion, consultation of charts, log books, sights, etc., the commander of the Buffalo, who held that the sealing schooner was one mile inside the sixty-mile limit drawn about the Pribyloff islands according to the regulations of the modus vivendi arranged after the Paris tribunal within which the Canadian sealers are not permitted, this being a preserve for Japanese seal hunters. The warship's commander finally said he would give the Sieverd the benefit of the doubt. At the same time the schooner Ida Etta was about ten miles away, and the Buffalo's captain assumed that she was inside the limit, but said he would also give her the benefit of the doubt and asked Capt. Heater to notify Capt. Balcom to put more sea between the schooner and the islands.

If the schooner Dora Sieverd had been seized on the contention of the Buffalo's commander the seizure could have been made only upon stretching the wording of the regulations to the utmost. The contention of the local sealers is that the radius of sixty miles of the prescribed area is drawn from the coastline of St. Paul and St. George islands, which are the two islands on which the seal rookeries are located. It seems though that the Buffalo's captain held that the line should be drawn from the furthermost point of Walrus island a small rock lying four miles to the westward of the main islands of the Pribyloffs, and it was based upon this contention that he held that the schooner was one mile inside the limit. In reality she was three miles outside the sixty mile limit drawn about the islands of St. Paul and St. George.

The boarding of the Dora Sieverd represented to the United States officers as well as the sealers the humiliating position in which not only the sealers but warship and revenue cutter officers are placed by the enforcement of the terms of the modus vivendi. Inside the proscribed area, hunting with firearms to within three miles of the seal rookeries, was a fleet of 34 Japanese sealing schooners, with which the patrol fleet was unable to interfere as long as the Japanese kept off the rookeries; several Japanese schooners seized were apprehended while actually raiding. The Canadian sealing vessels from Victoria were outside the radius of sixty miles, and beyond the territory in which the Japanese were allowed to hunt, and moreover, were forced to hunt with spears those seals which had run the gauntlet of the Japanese shotguns, and the United States sealers which some decades since went to Bering sea are no longer permitted to engage at all in the business of seal hunting.

The Dora Sieverd had her boats out when the Buffalo came off from the islands, and sent a boat to board her. Capt. Heater admitted he was sealing—the boats were coming on board with skins. The lieutenant looked over the skins brought on board seeking to learn how they were taken. His investigation showed no marks of the use of firearms, and in answer to a question as to where his firearms were, Capt. Heater said: "In Victoria."

With the vessel's papers, log, etc., Capt. Heater accompanied the boat's crew back to the Buffalo, where he was questioned at length.

"Do you know you're inside the limit?" asked the Buffalo's commander.

"No, I do not," replied Capt. Heater. "I got a sight this morning and worked out my position showing me three miles outside the limit."

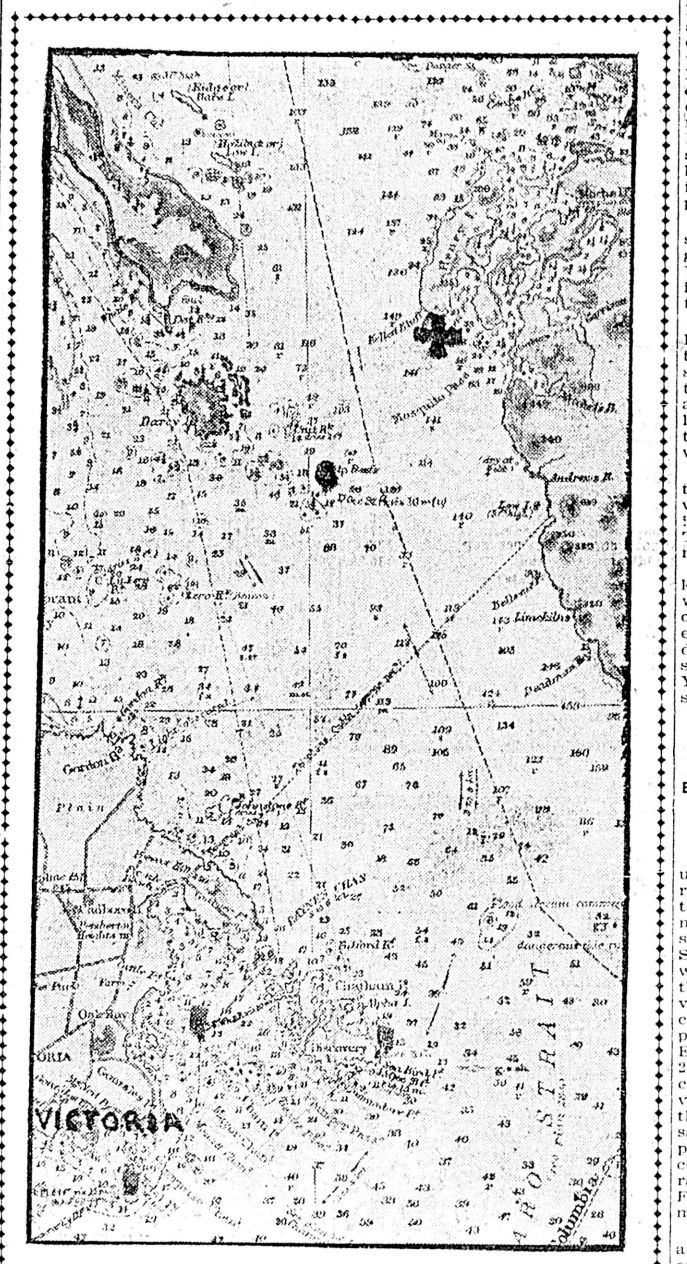
The Buffalo's commander had not taken any observation, but had worked his position by log from the islands having just run off, and with the charts spread on the wardroom table the two captains worked out the position of the schooner. It was then that the Buffalo's captain started to measure distance from Walrus island, four miles different than if the line was drawn from the two main islands. Capt. Heater pointed out that the understanding of the sealers was that the line was to be drawn from the rookeries, and that a strong northeast set prevailed.

"Well, I don't want to seize you," said the Buffalo's captain, "and I'll give you the benefit of the doubt. You'd better tell that other schooner in the distance to get further outside the zone."

Three visits were made by Capt. Heater on board the warship before the decision was reached to return the sealer's papers, and in the conversation both the United States officers and the sealers drew attention to the humiliating position under which both the sealers and patrolling officers were working.

"Here, you are enforcing regulations to the letter to handicap us, and preventing your own people from engaging in the business at all, what for? To make a preserve for these brown men," Capt. Heater explained.

"I know it, and it's humiliating I know," said the warship officer, "but we've no choice other than to carry out these laws made when the Japanese were not considered and no one dreamed that they would enter the sealing business in such numbers. You're right, though, it's humiliating state of affairs."



SCENE OF THE STRANDING

The cross marks the place where the big steamer Indravelli struck after passing Victoria without calling at William Head quarantine station or picking up a pilot.

NEW FRENCH LINER

Europe of the Chargeurs Reunis Line Leaves Havre for Victoria by Way of the Far East

The new French liner of the Chargeurs Reunis, the Europe, 11,000 tons register, is on her way from Havre to this port via the Far East in the bimonthly service of the French Steamship Company, embracing calls at Singapore, Hongkong, Hankow, Chingwantao, Taku, Kobe and Yokohama on the way to Victoria and Puget Sound via Honolulu and San Francisco, with calls at Central and South American ports on the homeward trip. The Europe, which left Havre on October 27, is one of the four new liners recently built, and has made one round voyage in the company's service to the west coast of South Africa. The sailing of the new steamer has an especial interest in this city as with the coming of the Europe the recent arrangement made for the docking of the French liners at Esquimalt will commence.

The Chargeurs Reunis will probably alter this service when the new steamers are completed, giving a monthly service. At present the company operates no less than five regular lines in which 35 steamers are engaged and four are now under construction. Hereafter only the steamers of the "Amiral" type of the company's fleet have been used in the round-the-world service, and vessels of this kind are also used in the line to Indo-China, making calls at Colombo, Singapore, Saigon, Haiphong, Bangkok, Pnom-penh and Hanoi. There are also lines to the west coast of South Africa, to Brazilian ports, and to the river Platte with calls at Vigo, Teneriffe, Montevideo and Buenos Ayres. Only the round-the-world and African services carry passengers.

The Chargeurs Reunis steamers have worked up a large trade in carrying Japanese to Honolulu and every steamer leaving Japanese ports has several hundred. The last vessel to leave Yokohama had a permit from the Japanese government for 1,000 Japanese passengers.

FOR SKAGWAY

Steamer Princess May Sails For Lynn Canal Via Ports

The steamer Princess May, Capt. McLeod, after a brief stay in port left last night for Skagway via the usual ports of call, taking a fair cargo and a small complement of passengers. She will call at Prince Rupert, Port Essington and Ketchikan.

MOVEMENT OF VESSELS

Steamers to Arrive.

From the Orient.

Vessel.	From.	Due.
Kaga Maru		Nov. 13
Kumeric		Nov. 21
Oanfa		Nov. 26
Monteagle		Nov. 29

FROM THE CAPE

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From Mexico.

Lonsdale	Nov. 14

From Guayamas

Steamer Sandown.

From Skagway.

Princess May	Nov. 21

Northern British Columbia Ports

Queen City	Nov. 18
Camosun (Saunders)	Nov. 19
Venture	Nov. 19

From West Coast.

Tees	Nov. 14

From San Francisco.

President	Nov. 15
City of Puebla	Nov. 20
Governor	Nov. 25
President	Nov. 30

Sailing Vessels.

Left.	Date.
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(put into Capetown leaking, Aug. 17), sailed	Oct. 15
W. F. Babcock, Newcastle	
Jas. Nesmith, Newcastle	
Alta	Newcastle
Seestern, Callao	
Hillston, Cardiff	Sept. 7
Invernell, Honolulu	
Governor Roble, Honolulu	
Strathgyre, Callao	
Schwarzenbek, Callao	

Steamers to Sail.

For the Orient.

Line.	Date.
Empress of India	Nov. 25

For Australia.

Aorangi	Dec. 6

For Mexico.

Lonsdale	Nov. 30

For Skagway.

Princess May	Nov. 25

For Northern British Columbia Ports

Venture	Nov. 20
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for Union Bay.
Leave Union Bay Thursdays at midnight for Nanaimo direct.
Leave Nanaimo Fridays at 7.00 a.m., for Vancouver.
Leave Vancouver Fridays at 1 p.m., for Nanaimo.
Leave Nanaimo Fridays at 5.30 p.m., for Union Bay and Comox direct.
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Leaves Nanaimo Wednesday, 7 a. m. Arrives Union Bay and Comox Wednesday 2 p. m.
Leaves Union Bay and Comox Thursday, 7 a. m.
Arrives Nanaimo Thursday, 2 p. m.
Leaves Nanaimo Friday, 7 a. m.
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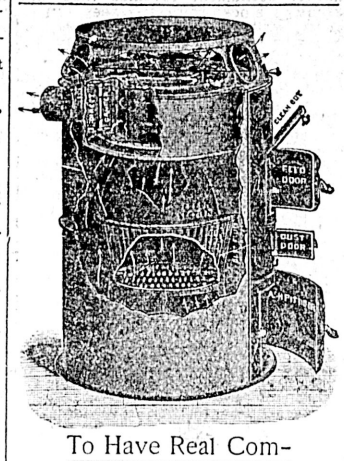

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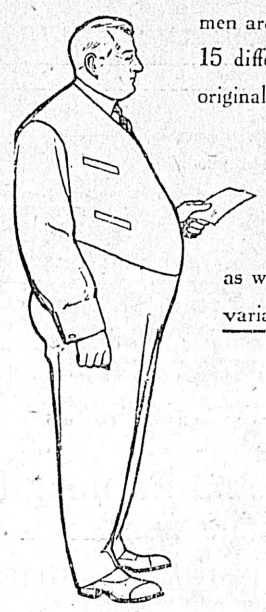

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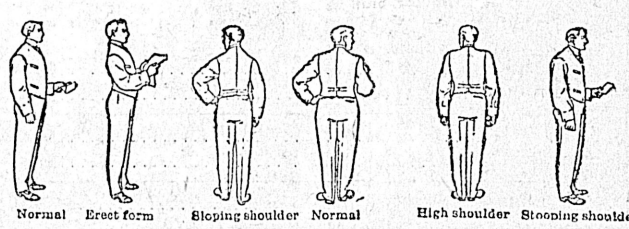

Normal Erect form Sloping shoulder Normal High shoulder Stooping shoulder

COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL

STOCKS LACKING SUPPORT OF BUYERS

Discouragement of Speculation by Bankers Has Influence in New York

New York, Nov. 12.—The impression got abroad in the stock market today that the kind of operations which began to make themselves felt yesterday were not approved by the conservative financial powers, whose efforts are all bent at the present time to the mending of the situation. There was a discontinuance of the small ventures on margin, which came into notice yesterday. This left the market uncertain and poorly supported. The weakness in the copper group then intervened, and there was no power of resistance in the market. The position of the Amalgamated Copper company was the immediate occasion of selling of the coppers, but the whole situation in the trade came into discussion. American Smelting was most actively affected.

There was a disposition to bring into question the effect of the earning power of corporations, and the probable dividend payment. The set-back to trade which must follow the financial entanglements was also taken into account. It is believed that the discouragement offered by the financial leaders to attempts to revise purely speculative operations, this policy being prompted by the motives described, was more responsible than any other cause for the action of the stock market today.

The demand for currency reflected some additional urgency early in the day, but the declining premium on currency again indicated an ease off of the strain. More gold was engaged for import, but the gold movement into and out of the Bank of England showed a balance in favor of receipts. The beginning of the London stock market settlement revealed that the selling of stocks there has been somewhat overdone, and the covering of shorts by the bears worked an upward movement in prices. This was the influence in the early advance here, which was more than lost in the subsequent reaction. The reported failure of one of the largest banks in Portland, Ore., helped to keep prices down to the end.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, $3,488,000. United States 2's declined a half per cent. on call.

Money on call in strong demand; highest, 12 per cent.; lowest, 6 per cent; ruling rate, 10 per cent; last loan, 6 per cent; closed, bid, 6 per cent.; offered at 6 per cent. Time loans nominal, sixty days and ninety days, 12 to 15 per cent, and six months at 8 per cent.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

By F. W. Stevenson.

New York, Nov. 12, 1907.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Amal. Copper ..	49¼	49⅝	46¼	46¾
Am. Car Fdy..	26¾	26¾	26½	26½
Am. Cot. Oil ..	24¼	24¾	24	24
Am. Loco.	39½	39½	39	39
Am. Smelting .	67	67⅞	60⅞	62
do pfd ..	..	..	..	87½
Am. Sugar	105¾	105¾	104⅞	104⅞
Am. Woolen ...	14¾	14¾	14½	14½
Anaconda	33	33	31⅜	31⅜
Atchison	73⅝	73⅝	72	72⅛
do pfd	82½	82½	82⅛	82½
B. and O.	81⅜	82	80¾	81
do pfd	77	77	76½	76½
B. R. T.	32⅞	33¼	31½	31¾
C. P. R.	144¼	145⅝	141⅜	142¼
Con. Leather ..	14¼	14¼	14	14
C. and O.	29	29⅛	28	28
C. and G. W. ..	7½	7½	7⅜	7½
C. M. and St. P..	103¼	104	101⅜	101⅞
C. T. and T. ...	5	5	5	5
C. F. and I. ...	16½	17	16½	16⅝
D. and R. G. ...	19	19	18½	18½
Erie	17¾	17¾	17½	17½
F. M. and S. pfd	55	55¼	54½	54⅞
Int. Paper	8¾	8¾	8	8⅛
Mex. Cent.	14¼	14¼	14	14
M. S. P. & SSM..	..	..	..	73¾
do pfd	119	119	118	118
Mo. Pac.	55¼	55¼	55	55
N. Y. Cent.	99	99	97¾	98⅛
N. Y. O. and W..	30¼	30¼	30	30
N. P.	109¾	110½	108	108½
N. and W.	65½	65¾	65	65⅛
Penna.	110¾	111	109	109½
People's Gas ..	76	76	75½	75½
Pr. Steel Car ..	17¾	17⅞	17½	17½
Reading	82¼	83¼	80¾	81
Rock Island ...	14⅛	14¼	13¼	13⅞
do pfd	34½	34½	34	34
S. P.	69¾	69¾	68¼	68¾
do pfd	104	104	103½	103½
S. R	12¼	12¼	12	12
Sloss Steel	39	39	38½	38½
T. C. and I. ...	..	..	..	80
U. P.	113½	111¼	111¼	111⅝
do pfd	77½	77½	77	77
U. S. Steel	25¼	25½	24⅝	24⅝
do pfd	85	85¾	84⅜	84½
Wabash	9	9	8¾	8¾
do pfd	15½	15⅝	15¼	15¼
Wis. Cent.	13¾	13¾	13½	13½
do pfd	29¾	30	29½	29½
West. Union...	65	65	64	64

Total sales, 475,500 chares.

Money on call closed at 6 per cent. bid.

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WHEAT IN WINNIPEG

Prices Decline Sharply in Sympathy With American Markets

Winnipeg, Nov. 12.—All cables were higher, the foreign crop summary was moderately bullish, news from Australia was unchanged, but news of Argentine crops was very favorable. In American markets there was a sharp reaction from the high prices of Monday, the market being carried down by its own weight. The decline of the morning was 1½@1⅝c for December, and 1⅛c for July in Chicago; 1⅞@2c for December and May and 1⅝c for July in Minneapolis.

The Winnipeg market opened lower, and weakness developed from the start. The decline was not so rapid as the advance of Monday, but was steady throughout the morning. At the close November was down 1⅝c, December 2c and May 2c from Monday's close. Trading was active in both December and may, but light in the cash month.

Receipts were 292 cars, of which 145 were of contract grade. There was apparently no change in the financial situation, but our wheat was again above export.

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	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat No. 2—				
Dec.	94¼	94½	92¼	92⅝
May	103⅛	103½	101¼	101¾
Corn No. 2—				
Dec.	57⅛	57⅝	55¼	55¾
May	58⅛	58⅛	56⅝	56⅞
Oats No. 2—				
Dec.	47¾	47¾	46½	46⅝
May	51¼	51¼	49½	49¾
Pork—				
Jan.	13.20	13.20	12.90	12.90
May	13.40	13.55	13.25	13.27
Liverpool Wheat—				
Dec.	7s.	10⅞d.	7s.	11½d.

MONTREAL STOCKS.

By Waghorn, Gwynn & Co., 519 Granville street, Vancouver:

	Sellers.	Buyers.
Moisons	111	...
Merchants	158	156½
Commerce	162	...
Twin City	75½	75
Mont. Heat and Power....	85½	83
Ogilvies	118	...
Mont Street Railway	167	166
Toronto Street Railway ..	86¼	86
Dominion Coal, com.	40	38
Dom. Iron and Steel,com...	13¾	13⅝
Nova Scotia Steel, com.....	55	54
Can. Pac. Ry., Montreal...	144¼	143½
Can. Pac. Ry., London	147¾	...

The Hosmer Fatality

Vancouver, Nov. 12.—A frightful explosion of dynamite occurred yesterday in the coal properties being opened by the Canadian Pacific railway at Hosmer, B. C. and as a result three of the miners lost their lives. There was not the least warning of the fearful calamity, and even to a late hour this afternoon the real cause of the explosion is unknown. The three men were instantly killed, and their bodies were badly mangled. It is regarded as nothing short of a miracle that the death list was not larger, as there were many more men working in that vicinity at the time.

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PRICE CHANGES FEW IN LOCAL PRODUCE

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Local produce prices have been stationary for the past few days. The recent decline of 20 cents per barrel is made by the Lake of the Woods Milling company in the east on its premier brand of flour, Five Roses has been followed by the Ogilvie Milling company which has made a like drop in its Royal Household brand. The other grades of flour are unchanged. While the wholesale price of the two grades mentioned above have been reduced here th retail price still holds at the old level.

There has been no change in the butter and egg situation. Fresh eggs are still as scarce as ever, the market being supplied almost altogether with arrivals of eggs from Alberta. Local eggs are quoted as high as 70 cents per dozen and very few are offering at that figure. Butter supplied by the Island creameries is held at the recent advance, 45 cents per pound.

There is still a scarcity of food stuffs and while arrivals have been somewhat more liberal the car shortage in Western Canada and in the northwestern states, whence supplies for the local market are now being brought, has not been relieved to any appreciable extent. There has been no furthr advance in the price of feed, and it is expected that supplies on the local market will be more plentiful in the near future if the railways can only bring the stuff in.

In fruits and vegetables there are no price change reported. The supplies are equal to the demand and the quality of the offerings is good. Retail prices are as follows:

Flour	
Royal Household a bag.....	$2.00
Lake of the Woods, a bag....	$2.00
Calgary, a bag	$2.00
Hungarian, per bbl.	$7.75
Snowflake, a bag	$1.75
Snowflake, per bbl.	$6.80
Moffet's Best, per sack	$2.00
Moffet's Best, per bbl.....	$7.75
Drifted Snow, per sack.....	$1.75
Three Star, per sack	$2.00
Foodstuffs	
Cracked Corn, per ton	$38.00
Bran, per ton	$30.00
Shorts, per ton	$32.00
Feed Wheat, per ton	$42.00
Oats, per ton, ...	$35.00
Barley, per ton	$31.00
Hay, Fraser River, per ton ..	$25.00
Cornmeal, per ton	$38.00
Chop feed, best, per ton	$27.00
Whole corn, best, per ton..	$36.00
Middlings, per ton	$30.00
Vegetables	
Celery, four heads	25
Egg Plant, per lb.	15
Citron, per lb.	5
Lettuce, two heads	5
Lettuce, hot house, 3 heads..	10
Garlic, per lb.	10
Onions, local, per lb.....	6
Tomatoes, outdoor, 3 lbs....	.25
Potatoes, local, per sack ...	$1.75
Sweet Potatoes, new, 4 lbs. ..	25
Vegetable marrow, each 10	to 25
Green peppers, each	3
Chili peppers, per lb.	20
Squash, per lb.	4
Pumpkins, per lb.	4
Cauliflower, each, ...	15 to 25
Cabbage, local, per lb.	5
Red Cabbage, per lb.	5
Dairy Produce	
Eggs—	
Fresh Island, per dozen.....	70
Cooking, per doz	35
Cheese—	
Canadian, per lb.	25
Neufchatel, each	5
Cream, local, each	10
Butter—	
Manitoba, per lb.	35
Best dairy, per lb.....	35 to 40
Victoria creamery, per lb....	50
Cowichan creamery, per lb....	50
Detla Creamery, per lb.....	50
Butter, cooking, per lb.	30
Fruit	
Quince, per lb.	10
Grape Fruit, per dozen	1.00
Oranges, per dozen	40 to 60
Lemons, per doz.	40
Figs, cooking, per lb.	8 to 10
Apples, local, 4 lbs. for	25
Grapes, California, per basket	60
Bananas, per doz.	35
Figs, table, per lb.	25
Raisins, Valencia, per lb. ...	20
Raisins, table, per lb.	25 to 60
Grapes, Con., per bask.....	$1.00
Pineapples, each	50
Pears, per box.	$1.25 to $1.50
Huckleberries, Sooke, 2lbs. for	.25
Cranberries, per lb.	.20
Nuts	
Walnuts, per lb., ...	30
Brazils, per lb.	30
Almonds, Jordon, per lb. ..	75
Almonds, California, per lb.	30
Cocoanuts, each	15
Pecans, per lb	20
Chestnuts, per lb.	.30
Fish	
Cod, salted, per lb.	10 to 12
Halibut, fresh, per lb.	8 to 10
Halibut, smoked, per lb	12
Cod, fresh, per lb.	6 to 8
Flounders, fresh, per lb.	6 to 8
Salmon, fresh, white, per lb. .	8
Salmon, fresh red, per lb....	10 to 12
Salmon, smoked, per lb.	20
Clams, per lb	5
Oysters, Olympia, per pint ..	40 to 50
Oysters, Toke Point, doz.	40 to 50
Shrimps, per pound	25 to 50
Smelts, per lb.	6 to 10
Herring, kippered, per lb. ...	12½
Meat and Poultry	
Lamb, per lb	15 to 25
Mutton, per lb	12½ to 20
Lamb, per quarter, fore	1.00 to 1.50
Lamb, per quarter, hind	1.75 to 2.00
Veal, dressed, per lb	12½ to 18
Geese, dressed, per lb.	18 to 20
Ducks dressed, per lb.	20 to 25
Chickens, per lb	20 to 25
Chickens, per lb., live weight	12½ to 15
Chickens, broilers, per lb. ...	25
Guinea Fowls, each	$1.00
Pigeons, dressed, per pair ..	50
Rabbits, dressed, each	50 to 65
Hare, dressed, each	75
Hams, per lb.	25 to 30
Bacon, per lb	25 to 30
Beef, per lb	8 to 18
Pork, dressed, per lb	15 to 18

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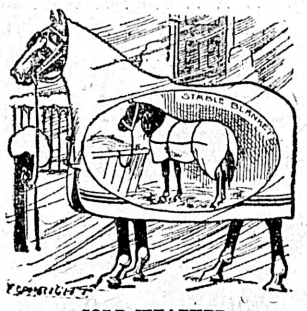

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The minimum royalty has been fixed at twenty-five cents a ton.

Dated October 29th, 1907.

B. H. TYRWHITT DRAKE,
Registrar Supreme Court.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the ESQUIMALT & NANAIMO RAILWAY COMPANY has this day deposited in the District Land Registry Office at Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, a Plan, Profile and Book of Reference showing a proposed branch line from the said Railway Company's present terminus on the south side of Store Street in the City of Victoria, British Columbia, to the proposed additional terminal grounds of the said Company on the North side of Store Street in the said City of Victoria, namely, Block "D" formerly owned and occupied by the Albion Iron Works, and that the said Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Company will, as soon after the expiration of four weeks from the first publication of this Notice as the application can be heard, apply to the Board of Commissioners for Canada at their Court room in the City of Ottawa under Section 222 of the Railway Act, to authorize the construction of the said branch line in accordance with the provisions of the Railway Act.

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CANCELLATION OF RESERVE

NOTICE is hereby given that the reserve, notice of which was published in the British Columbia Gazette and dated October 23, 1906, covering Township 4, Range V., Coast District, and the reserve, notice of which was published in the British Columbia Gazette and dated October 31st, 1906, covering Townships 1a, 2a, and 3, Range V. Coast District, has been cancelled in so far as the said reserves effect the acquisition of said lands by pre-emption only.

Lands embraced in the previously reserved area will be open for pre-emption on and after December 26th, 1907.

ROBT. A. RENWICK.,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands and Works.

Lands and Works department, Victoria, B. C., Sept., 23, 1907.

Parliament Buildings, Victoria

NOTICE is hereby given that the driveways in front and rear of the Parliament Buildings, Victoria, ARE NOT PUBLIC THOROUGHFARES and may be used only by those who have business with the Department or are desirous of entering and viewing the building.

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By order of the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

F. C. GAMBLE.
Public Works Engineer.

Land and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 1st August, 1907.

TENDERS

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Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to November 11th, 1907, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, for the purchase of an undivided 1-3 interest in Sections 79, 80 and 83, Sooke District, comprising 540 acres more or less and situated at the mouth of Sooke Harbor, and known as the Ralph "Iron Mine."

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Victoria, B. C., October. 10th, 1907.

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WOMEN'S COUNCIL HAS CONCLUDED ITS WORK

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kitchen with pantries, and one small room for matron.

Smaller building.—This building is comparatively newly constructed, and consists of five rooms uo stairs, and three rooms down stairs. It was in no way suitable for the handling of patients, and considerable alterations were deemed absolutely necessary by the plans of your committee. A large verandah of similar width was constructed and two new chimneys and fire places were built. Another verandah was built about six feet wide and opening on to it by a small French door, through a six feet by ten feet room. There was no water closet or bathroom in this building, and a room at the back is now fully equipped with water closet, bath and bason. This cottage will accommodate four patients only and one nurse. It is considered that it will be the choicest place for residence and therefore could be set apart for patients willing to pay a higher rate than that adopted by the constitution. Ventilators have been supplied for both houses.

A septic tank system has been installed as there are no means whatever for handling the sewage.

The entire cost for all these changes will amount to $2,700.00, and your committee trust that this board will endorse the expenditure which was considered absolutely essential before patients could be treated with benefit and credit to the society.

The committee appointed a manager for the farm at a salary of $125.00 a month. Mr. W. W. Shaw, of Salmon Arm being higaly recommended, and after meeting with the committee, seemed to fulfil all the requirements for such a psoition. He agreed to accept the work for one year at the above rate. The committee feel sure that the right man has been appointed and are confident that actual returns will prove this.

C. J. FAGAN, Secretary.

Weeds In Cemetery.

The following resolutions were next considered:

Resolution 3.—Proposed by the Friendly Help association; moved by Mrs. William Grant, seconded by Mrs. McMicking:

Resolved, that the attention of the city council be called to the unsightly condition of a large portion of the cemetery, on which weeds and wild grass are allowed to ripen, and respectfully suggests that plots not kept in order by owners be levelled, and that these as well as unoccupied portions be kept cut.

Mrs. Grant, in making an earnest appeal for better care of the cemetery, asked that a committee be appointed to confer with the authorities, and to effect greater order, beauty and symmetry in the care of the cemetery.

The resolution carried.

Maternity Ward Wanted.

Resolution 4.—Proposed by the Woman's Auxiliary of the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital; moved by Mrs. Hasell, seconded by Mrs. Jenkins:

Resolved that the Local Council of Women be asked to continue its efforts to secure the establishment of a maternity ward at the Provincial Royal Jubilee hospital.

Mrs. Jenkins, in speaking to this resolution, again commended to all societies and individuals the urgent need of the establishment of this ward at the hospital. Mrs. Hasell seconded the motion, and referred all present to a perusal of the annual report of the Royal Jubilee hospital and of the Women's Auxiliary society for the past year, which report was on hand. Mrs. Albert Griffiths, treasurer of the fund, presented the following statement (which does not include the sum of $1,100 previously collected at the time of the late Queen's death and deposited in the Bank of Commerce).

A warm response was made from the floor and some contributions promised. The resolution carried.

In connection with this resolution the following letters and statements were submitted:

As treasurer for the maternity ward fund I submit a statement of the monies collected since my last report, and beg to direct your attention to the lack of interest that has been shown in the object during the term.

FANNY GRIFFITHS,
Treasurer M.W.F., P.R.J.H.

Statement of Receipts.

1906.	To balance as per statement rendered		$405.00
Dec.	15. Knox church, Stanley avenue, per Mr. R. Wilson.		2.00
1907.			
Feb.	11. Mrs. Pooley and friends, proceeds vaudeville performance		436.30
Aug.	13. Mrs. Bradley-Dyne		5.00
Aug.	23. Mr. R. S. Hall and four friends		50.00
Sep.	21. Mrs. J. Grey		5.00
Nov.	11. Interest accrued..		
	1906. Nov. 30	$5.75	
	1907. March 31	8.35	14.10

Balance on hand at The Canadian Bank of Commerce, as per savings bank book.....$872.40

Boys and Firearms.

Resolution 5.—Proposed by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the S.P.C.A.:

Whereas the law which forbids the use of firearms by boys is practically a dead letter, and whereas said boys are a constant menace to public safety and property, beside causing needless suffering to birds and animals.

Resolved that the Local Council of Women endeavors to procure the enforcement of the law.

This resolution was eloquently moved and an urgent appeal for membership made by Mrs. Toller. Mrs. C. Spofford, in speaking to the motion, moved that the age for allowing the use of firearms to boys be increased to 18 years, and the legislature be appealed to in the matter, and a better law secured.

Referred to the executive.

Mrs. Toller in moving the resolution said:

"In presenting the above resolution, the S.P.C.A. auxiliary is confronted by two difficulties viz., the fact that in various forms this same resolution has been several times under discussion, the other, that amidst the many resolutions presented today, dealing with the elevation of human beings, both physically and morally, matters pertaining to the sufferings of our dumb friends in the animal world, are apt to be regarded as mere trivialities. But as it is the special function of the S.P.C.A. to protect as far as possible those unable to protect themselves, and to watch the course of events on these lines the time has now arrived when the indiscriminate use of guns by boys has assumed such proportions that during the past year life and property have been actually menaced, apart from the wanton suffering and destruction to birds and animals caused by this reckless shooting.

Curiously enough, the small boy whose deeds we criticise has in an altogether unexpected manner hurled at us women an invisible shaft of condemnation in his reply to our remonstrating with him, as he picked up the gasping, dying bird. She relates as follows: "I had happening to be near at hand, and exclaiming, 'How cruel of you. Think how the poor bird suffered,' she received this reply: 'Oh, go on; it didn't suffer any more than that bird in your hat did.'" and that the effect of these words on her was such that, with tears in her eyes, she then and there resolved never again to follow heedlessly a fashion which is surely robbing this beautiful world of its choicest gifts of song and gay plumage.

"But, returning to our subject, those in Victoria living on the sea front tell us that it is grievous to notice little boys, from seven and upwards, shooting birds, 'just for the fun of the thing,' as they say, leaving them dead and dying on the rocks, and others relate that, at the time when the gay and lucious red berries of the mountain ash attracts birds of all kinds, and the bird world is eating its harvest Thanksgiving dinner, as it were, the most heartless scenes of cruelty are witnessed by those possessing these trees in their gardens, and that their grounds are then absolutely unsafe from the small shots constantly flying around, remonstrance being useless. I fancy many of us can multiply instances that the evil is a very real one. For myself, while approaching the orphanage early in September, on the Cook street road, I really felt uncertain whether it were possible to reach my destination unharmed, owing to the nearness of the shots proceeding from a small group of boys hiding in the hedges. We are often led to wonder whether the framers of our bye-laws realize that they are thus being held up to ridicule by the small boy, who believes nobody has any power to stop him; also what will be the effect on the character of our boys, who thus early are allowed by those in authority to take the law in their own hands.

"The local Council of Women having been instrumental so frequently in influencing public opinion as regards abuses and evils complained of, the S. P. C. A. have therefore deemed it fitting to ask that this subject be also taken up, and suggestions be made as to the best method of dealing with this matter. We are of the opinion that the remedy lies largely in the hands of parents. Will not fathers and mothers bear this in mind, now that Christmas is drawing near, remembering that the gift of the long-cocked gun to the small boy who pleads so earnestly for it is the most undesirable and maybe fatal gift, both for himself and others, until old enough to be governed by true sportsmen's rules; also, cannot wise parents teach their boys that it is not manly or sportsmanlike to shoot at birds as mere targets, for the sake of killing, though the existing bye-law has proved itself a dead letter, thereby encouraging these practices.

"Owing to the present state of affairs in this matter one need no longer wonder why those exemplary efforts of generous minded citizens in seeking to enhance the charms of our lovely city by the periodical importation of song birds from the motherland have never been attended with adequate success, nor ever can be, we venture to state, while sundry bylaws are allowed to be regarded mere useless sentences.

Possibly there are none present here today who do not learn with satisfaction and commendation the course recently adopted by the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, with reference to the reckless slaughter of birds of rare beauty for millinery purposes thereby in many instances causing the extermination of certain species. By counselling their members to abstain from such adornments, largely on account of the cruelty involved in obtaining the same. To mothers who have to press there helpless little ones to their hearts and feel how precious and safe they are, the exquisitely beautiful osprey plume has become a sight of sadness owing to the fact that this coveted plume is obtained during the time when the little birds, too young to feed, or protect themselves, most need their mother's care. Those who have visited their haunts after the hunter's visit state that the sights witnessed are cruel, indeed as the remains of the mother birds are seen scattered around with dead and dying little birds killed through inhumanity in thus depriving them of the mother's sheltering care. Her Gracious Majesty our Beloved Queen has herself joined in this crusade, giving this matter serious attention, viewing with dissatisfaction those who have in evidence the graceful osprey plumes or similar adornments which can only be obtained through gross cruelty.

"We as women workers are constantly learning the lesson that consistency is a potent factor of success. One of the secrets of the success attending the efforts of the W. C. T. U. in their new line of work is attributable to the consistency enjoined by their members, does one wish to reclaim the inebriate, then first abstain yourself being their creed, which is equaly true as applied to the repression of cruelty or cruel practices to gain success in this particular work, one needs to abstain from wearing any adornments however beautiful, which have been obtained by culpable cruelty or in participating in any form of amusement into which this element enters.

Liquor at Fair Grounds

Resolution VIII was here substituted for resolution VI.

Resolution VIII.—Proposed by the executive, moved by Mrs. Andrews, seconded by Mrs. Cooper:

Whereas the exhibition grounds as well as those of the race track are now the property of the city and are therefore fully under the control of the city council or its direct appointees, therefore,

Be it resolved, that the local council of women petition the city council to prohibit, either by restriction or by law, the sale of intoxicating liquor on the fair grounds or on the race track.

Mrs. Andrews, in moving this resolution, made a very able address.

Mrs. Wm. Grant seconded the motion.

The resolution carried.

Rev. W. Baugh Allen and Rev. S. Deakin spoke to the resolution. Mr. Allen touched upon many of the important resolutions and pleaded very especially for a maternity ward at the hospital.

In presenting the resolution, Mrs. Andrews said:

"Madam President—I am not quite certain that this resolution is now necessary. Thanks to the resolution of last year and to the vigorous manner in which it has been followed up since, the victory is nearly if not quite won. A by-law introduced by Ald. Gleason is now before the city council, with every prospect of passing, prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquor on any city property. This will include the fair grounds, for as is probably well known the city now owns all the property there, including the fair grounds proper and the race track as well.

"It must, indeed, be gratifying to the members of this council that their resolution of last year met with such hearty approval, and such prompt and satisfactory results, and the thanks of this council might very well be extended to Ald. Gleazon and those aldermen who stood by him in this matter for their action.

"The statement was made in the city council by one alderman that the banishment of liquor from the fair grounds meant a loss of $1,600 to the city, as the city now assumes the entire responsibility for the finances of the exhibition, but this statement regarding a loss of $1,600 is, I am informed, not correct. The $1,600 is received not for the sale of liquor alone but it includes also the fakir games of chance at the fair as well. But even if the sale of liquor alone brought $1,600 into the city treasury, and if the loss of this meant the closing of the exhibition, then with all my heart I would say: 'Shut it up!' If the city cannot run an exhibition without the revenue which comes from the sale of liquor in conection with it, then let it go. It is however very far from a fact that it cannot.

"As I have already said, the city now assumes the entire responsibility for the finances of the fair, and such being the case, there is no more reason why the funds of the fair should be helped out in that way than for sitting up a bar in the city hall to help out the funds for beautifying our parks or street improvement. A bar on the fair grounds is, therefore, entirely indefensible on any reasonable grounds.

"I, therefore, have much pleasure in moving this resolution."

Mass Meeting Held

There was a large attendance of ladies in the council chamber at the mass meeting yesterday afternoon to hear the speech of Mrs. Fitzgibbon and others on the questions of labor and emigration. The president, Mrs. Day, introduced the speaker in a few very complimentary sentences. Mrs. Fitzgibbon on arising, expressed her diffidence in dealing with a question which was so widely discussed and studied in British Columbia. She had come into close touch, however, with the problems of emigration and labor both from a Canadian and from an English standpoint. She had spent four years in London and knew both how the English regarded this question of emigration as well as how it was looked upon in Canada. The speaker had belonged successively to the Imperial Federation, the Empire league and the National Council of Women, and so could see its imperial side. She asked her hearers to consider the immense extent of the country which was offered to the British nation as a field for emigration. Canada was nearly as large as the whole of Europe. The emigrant who reached the Pacific coast had traversed 8,000 miles of sea and land. This meant not only that before he could reach the Pacific coast he would be compelled to spend a great deal of money, but that at every station between Halifax and Vancouver inducements were offered for him to make an end of his journey and settle in the vicinity.

More than that, in England itself there was a feeling against emigration. An attempt was being made by offering the people small holdings to draw the people back to the land and give them the work in their own country that we wanted to bring them here to do.

The market for domestic service was not by any means well supplied even in the mother country. Education by fitting children for clerical work and the spreading of industrial arts combined to give the younger generation a distaste for domestic service. The hotels, clubs and other places of public entertainment as well as many private houses employed many kinds of foreign labor.

Every colony in the empire was competing in the emigration market. Australia, New Zealand and South Africa.

Every working man and wife in British Columbia had a right to expect as she neared middle age to be in a position to obtain assistance with her household duties. That labor should be got at a reasonable rate. It was the employer of labor who paid the tax. Labor now was unreasonable. Not only that but the milk, eggs, bread and other food necessary to keep their children well and strong were from the scarcity of labor rendered so dear that the purchasing power of their husband's wages was greatly lessened. What the province needed for its development was labor at a reasonable price, and every one knew that the prices paid for labor in British Columbia were not reasonable. The Chinese could perform the kind of service needed here and their presence in the country should not from any point of view be injurious.

Mr. Johnson, who explained that he did not represent the Trades and Labor council, but the labor men of the city, did not believe that there was any need for Oriental emigration. No one had a right to try and escape the sentence "In the sweat of thy brow shalt thou eat thy bread." Coolie labor was a species of slavery and every man had a right to enjoy the full product of his labor.

Canon Beanlands complimented the first speaker and took issue with the last. He dwelt on the necessity for domestic service and pressed home the truth that there was great suffering here from want of it.

Mr. Lindley Crease pointed ou that but a very small part of British Columbia had been settled and showed that it was very necessary that the country should be opened up. This could not be done without an abundance of labor. It would be better if this came from Great Britain.

Mr. Andrews acknowledged himself a member of the Anti-Asiatic League, and in a humorous speech combated the statements of Mrs. Fitzgibbon. He drew a parallel between the state of things that would be likely to obtain in Canada if Oriental laborers were allowed to come into the country and the state of affairs in the United States when slavery was introduced.

Mrs. Newall advised the ladies to live more simply. There would not be so much need of servants if fewer social duties were undertaken.

Mrs. Cowper said servants were too well off in England to be tempted to come to Canada and spoke in glowing terms of the relation of mistress and servant.

Mrs. Fitzgibbon in closing the discussion urged women to co-operate and warned the labor unions against exercising their power to tyrannize. There was a large and very valuable class of English emigrants who could only be induced to come to British Columbia if he could get help for his wife and himself. This was the man with a small income and a growing family.

Mrs. Watt proposed and Mrs. Robertson seconded a vote of thanks to Mrs. Fitzgibbon for her able address.

The chrysanthemum show to be held in the upstairs rooms of the Carnegie library on Thursday and Friday next, Nov. 14 and 15, will be opened each day at 3 o'clock. Besides the show of the lovely flowers, afternoon tea will be served, also homemade candy will be on hand, and lovers of the sweets of life can enjoy these dainties to perfection. In the evenings an attractive musical programme is arranged for, altogether a most enjoyable time is promised and all in aid of the Orphan's home.

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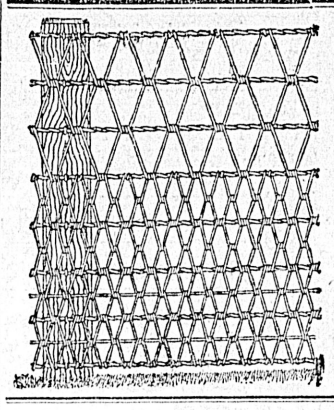

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TIN 12 ST. DISH PANS. Regular 15s. Today. **15c**

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Plain Matador Ribbons in colors of green, pink, helio, blue, cardinal and other shades, 7 in. wide. Regular 50c. Today

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